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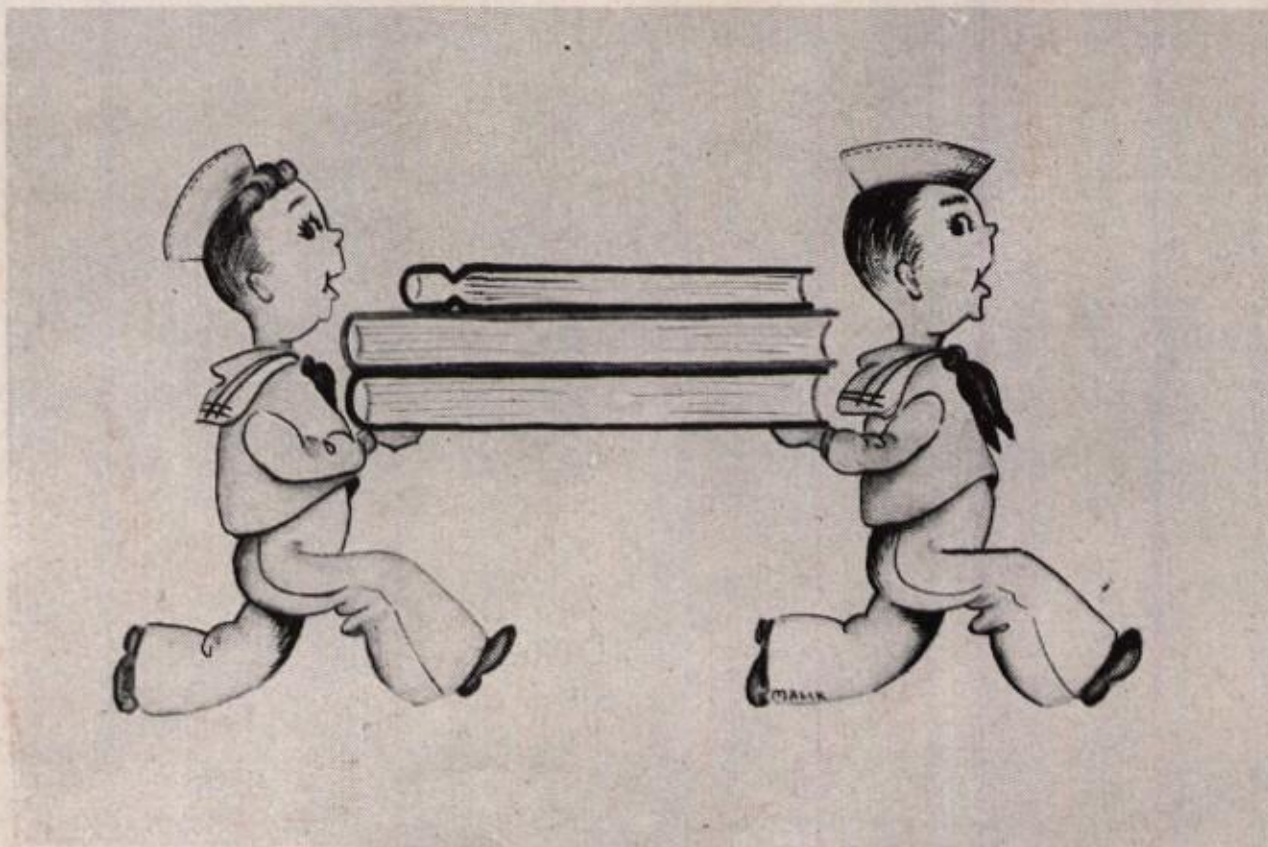


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The Voyage of the



PANTHER
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EX-LIBRIS

May all who come aboard our ship,
Find pleasant memories here;
Of things we did in L. H. S.
Throughout our school career.
Our vessel now pulls out to sea
With all our crew aboard.
We hope that you'll enjoy the trip
On the ("U.S.S. Lansford.")

—The Staff

FOREWORD

Avast! Come aboard, mates, and prepare yourselves for a voyage. Pull up the anchor, hoist the mainsail, tighten the ropes and away we'll go. This edition of the PANTHER is a record of what was seen and done by the Class of 1952 on the trip. We hope it will meet with your approval.

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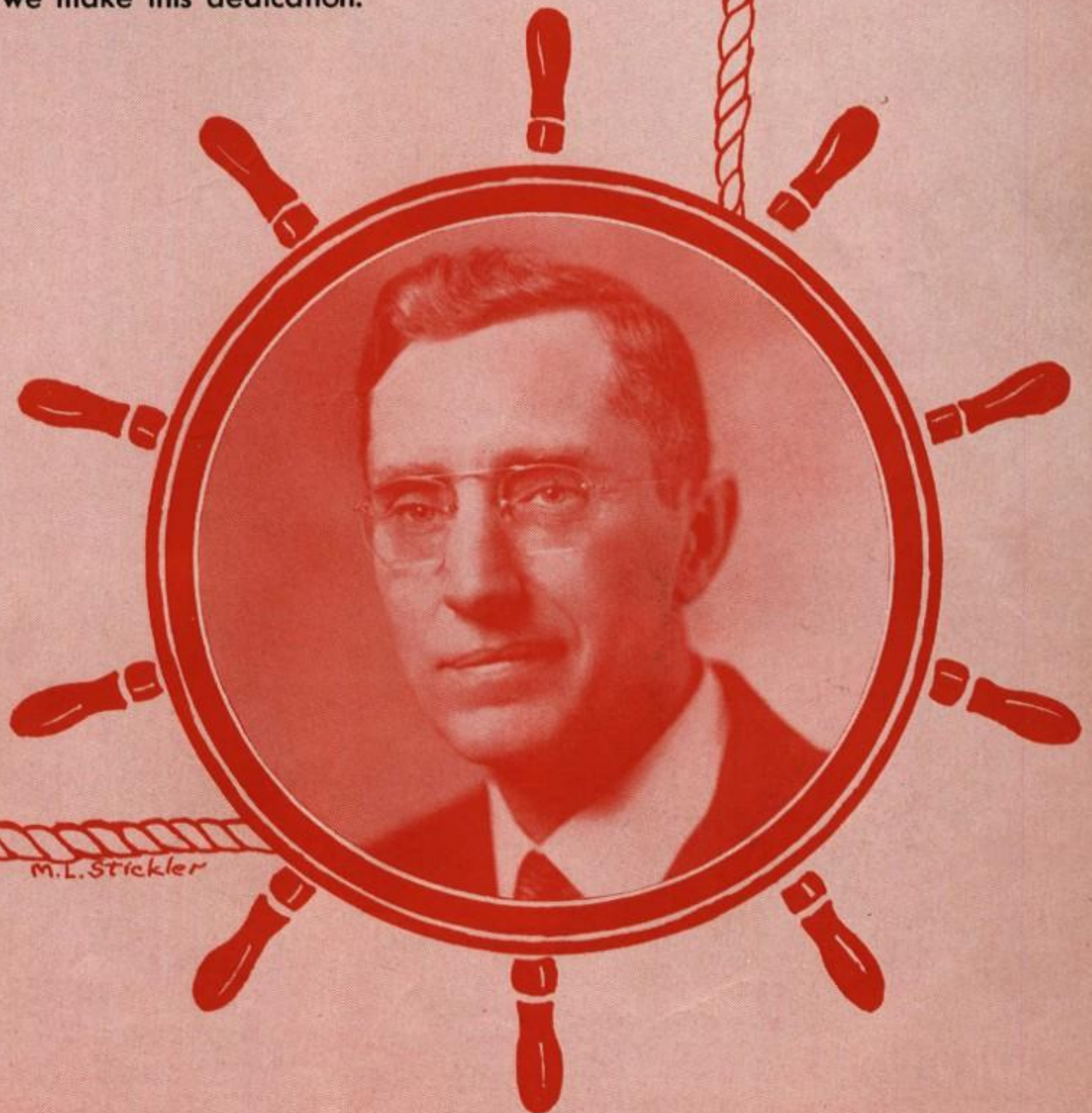
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Dedication

We, the Class of 1952, proudly dedicate this edition of the Panther to:

MR. WALTER FUDGE

in deepest appreciation of the time he spent assisting us with various projects which we undertook throughout our school years. He has served faithfully as the capable head of the mechanical arts department for the past thirty years. It is with respect and gratitude that we make this dedication.



M.L. Strickler



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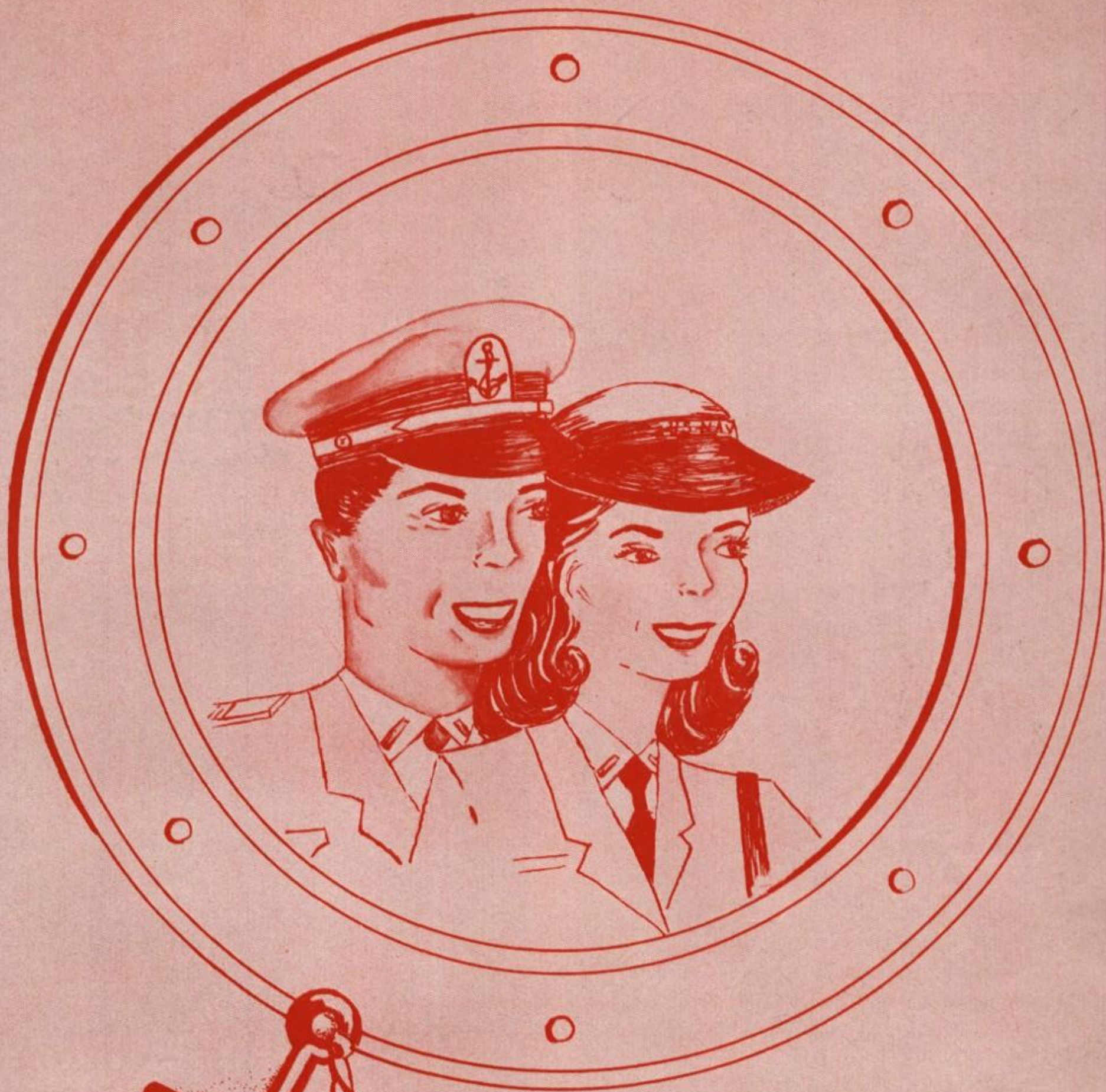
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To Youth Belongs the Future





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Tune: Halls of Ivy

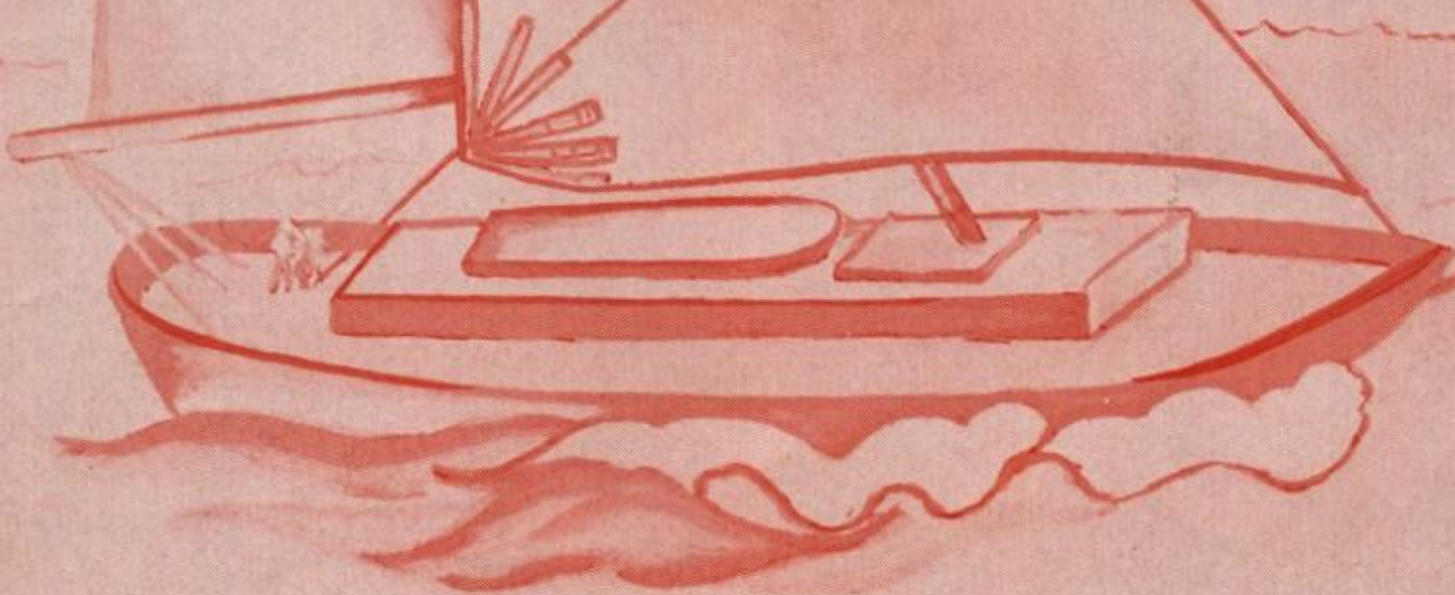
All the days in Lansford High School,
In our hearts will always be
The happy memories we had shared so constantly.

Oh, we think of all our teachers
With whom we spent those days,
As, Alma Mater, we begin to sing your praise.

The Class of '52 now sadly bids adieu,
To all the friends and classmates we hold dear.
Our path is open wide; we'll go with hope and pride,
Although in every eye will be a tear - - -

For we'll miss you, Lansford High School;
Twelve years have come and gone.
And within our hearts thy cherished name will linger on.

(Words by Margaret Perzel)



Ambrose



AMBROSE, GEORGINE B.

College Preparatory Course

"Georgi"

"Georgi" made many eyes turn her way as head majorette. Her musical and artistic abilities will carry her far.

Clubs: Art 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Class Play 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym Exhibition 3; Music Contests 1, 2, 3; Poppy Poster Contest 1, 2, 3; Concession worker 4; Panther Staff 4.

*Margaret
lots of luck
to a sweet little girl
"Georgi"*



BASIAGO, FLORENCE

Academic Course

"Flossy"

"Flossy" is a tiny, quiet girl. Give her an album of Eddie Arnold or a cowboy song to sing, and she'll be quite content.

Clubs: Knitting 1; Home Economics 2; Dramatics 3; Library 4.

Activities: Class Play 3; Concession Worker 4.

*lots of luck
to a cute
& well friend
Flossy*



BECKER, MARIE ELIZABETH

Commercial Course

"Becky"

"Becky" seems quiet at first, but, upon closer acquaintance, is found almost as talkative as the next. One of her favorite diversions is dancing.

Clubs: Make-Up 1; Ushers 2; Typing 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 2, 3; Concession Worker 4; Typist School Newspaper 4.



BESBRIS, JERRY MARVIN

Academic Course

"Jazz"

"Jazz" played tackle on our football team and had many friends especially female. He was also the owner of a well-known car.

Clubs: Art 1; Governors 2, 3; Sports Visual Education Club 4.

Activities: Football 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Track Manager 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 2, 3; Panther Staff 4.

*lots of luck
to a future
husband
because you waited
so long for this
Jazz*



BOKROSH, GEORGE EDWARD

College Preparatory Course

"Slugger"

"Slugger" has achieved fame in football and also served in the band as a saxophonist. He is a quiet lad, with dark, curly hair.

Clubs: Band 1, 2; Governors 3; Sports Visual Education Club 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Chorus 3.



BRIMMER, NANCY ANNE

College Preparatory Course

"Nancy"

Small, neat, and always willing to help others is our "Nancy". Her great interest in people will make her an excellent nurse.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2.

*Lots of Luck in the Future
Hope you succeed in everything
you do*

BUCHALA, JOHN

"Betcher"

Academic Course

A tall, cute, dark-haired boy with a striking smile is "Betcher." He played end on the football team and center on the basketball team.

Clubs: Craft 1; Nature 2; Sports Visual Education Club 3, 4;

Activities: Football 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, Student Council Officer 2, 3.

CLARK, H. MARGARET

"Peggy"

Academic Course

Although "Peggy" is quiet and shy, she is bubbling over with fun. Her motto is "Stop in at the bakery and see me sometime."

Clubs: Knitting 1; Ushers 2; Band 3, 4.

Activities: Band 3, 4; Chorus 2; Panther Staff 4.

COOK, M. JAY

"Cookie"

College Preparatory Course

"Jay" starred as pitcher for the Legion baseball team. With his warm personality, he is bound to succeed as a dentist.

Clubs: Sport 1; Governors 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Football Manager 1; Basketball Manager 1; Chorus 3; Gym Exhibition 3; Class Vice President 3; Class Treasurer 4; Home Room Treasurer 1, 2, 3, 4; Concession Worker 4; Panther Staff 4.

CUNNING, BETTY ANN

"Bet"

Academic Course

"Bet's" blonde hair and blue eyes make her a pretty sight as she twirls her baton. After graduation, she intends to become a beautician.

Clubs: Band 1, 2; Home Economics 3; Typist 4.

Activities: Twirler 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 1, 3; Oratory 1, 2, 3, 4; Concession Worker 4; Panther Staff 4.

DAVIS, PEGGY ANN

"Peggy"

College Preparatory Course

"Peggy" moved to Lansford in our sophomore year. She has become known for her scholastic achievements and leadership qualities.

Clubs: Band 2; Tumbling 3, 4.

Activities: Band 3, 4; Twirler 3, 4; Chorus 2; Gym Exhibition 3, 4; Class Officer 4; Concession Worker 4; Homeroom Secretary 4; Library Assistant, Panther Staff 4.

DIGNAZIO, LOUIS

"Diggy"

College Preparatory Course

"Diggy" starred on our football team and was active in basketball and track. A born leader, Louis will surely reach the top.

Clubs: Sports 1; Archery 2, 3; Sports Visual Club 4.

Activities: Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Class Play 2; Panther Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; President Student Council 4; Class Officer 1, 2, 4; Concession Worker 4; Home Room President 1, 4; Boys Quintet 2, 3, 4; Music Contests 2, 3.





DROZD, EDWARD JOSEPH

Academic Course

"Chow"

Need a topnotch guard on your basketball team? See Chow. To go with his athletic ability is excellent sportsmanship and friendliness.

Clubs: English 1; Radio 2; Craft 3; Governors 4.

Activities: Basketball 2, 3, 4.



DROZD, JOHN EDWARD

Academic Course

"Yano"

"Yano" is a quiet, shy boy. However, give him a wrench and a can of grease and he will fix up your car in no time.

Clubs: English 1; Gym 2; Craft 3, 4.

Activities: Concession Worker 4.



FERRETTI, LOUIS RICHARD

Academic Course

"Louie"

"Louie" is a boy with plenty of vitality. Give him a dance floor and a pretty girl and he'll show you some fancy stepping.

Clubs: Gym 1, 2, 3; Typing 4.

Activities: Football Manager 1; Football 3; Class Play 1; Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 2.



EVANS, MARVIN RICHARD

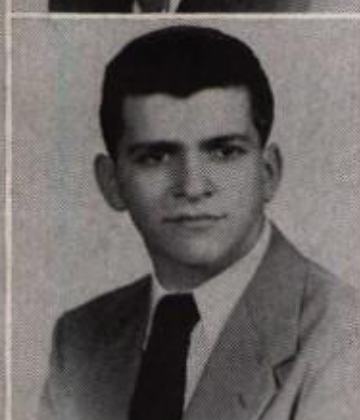
College Preparatory

"Duke"

Tall and good-looking Marvie has been well known for his athletic ability. No wonder he is so popular with the opposite sex.

Clubs: Sports 1, 4; Gym 2, 3.

Activities: Football 3, 4; Football Manager 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 3.



FILLOY, JOSEPH

Academic Course

"Bonesy"

Tall, dark, and handsome is our "Bonesy". He is also one of our star football players, and has a certain way with the girls.

Clubs: Camera 1; Governors 2; Archery 3; Sports Visual Club 4.

Activities: Football 3, 4; Band 2; Track 2, 3; Class Play 1, 2, 3.



FITTOS, BERNARD ANTHONY

Academic Course

"Weasel"

This blonde haired boy always seems to be looking for laughs. He is never without friends and has very few enemies.

Clubs: Governors 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Track 3; Concession Worker 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Track 1.

Best of luck in the future you

GALLAGHER, THERESA

College Preparatory Course

"Tessy"

Forever smiling is this cute, Irish lass. "Tessy's" pastime is dancing and she is always on the lookout for the newest clothes in fashion.

Best of luck in the future

Clubs: Dramatics 2; Typing 3, 4.

Activities: Class Play 2; Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 2, 3, 4; Concession Worker 4; Library Assistant 3, 4.

GALLAGHER, THOMAS

Academic Course

"Blinkers"

St. Ann's loss was our gain. "Blinkers" proved very versatile as he starred in football and proved outstanding in the gym.

Clubs: Gym 3, 4.

Activities: Football 4; Gym Exhibition 3, 4.

Best of luck in the future

GALLANDA, GERALDINE MARY

Commercial Course

"Gerry"

If you want to know anything about a book, ask "Gerry". Her cheerful disposition and friendly manners will help her attain her goal.

Clubs: Knitting 1; Home Economics 2; Typing 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Chorus 1; Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 2, 3; Concession Worker 4; Club Officer 2, 4; Typist School Paper 4.

GORKA, STELLA

College Preparatory Course

"Stell"

Our "Stella" has made many friends through her pleasing personality. She has become known for her scholastic standing and musical abilities.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Officer 2, 3, 4; Class Play 1, 2, 3; Panther Staff 4; Oratory 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; District Band 1, 2, 3; Class Officer 3; Concession Worker 4; Library Assistant 2, 3, 4; Home Room Officer 1, 2, 3; Girls Trio 3, 4; Clarinet Quartet 1, 2, 3.

GREZIK, STEVE

Academic Course

"Grizzle"

"Grizzle" tried playing in the band. However, it seemed that sports was his line, as he proved an outstanding guard on our football team.

Clubs: Band 1, 2; Archery 3; Sports Visual Education Club 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Track 3; Oratory 1.

HAJCAK, ANNA

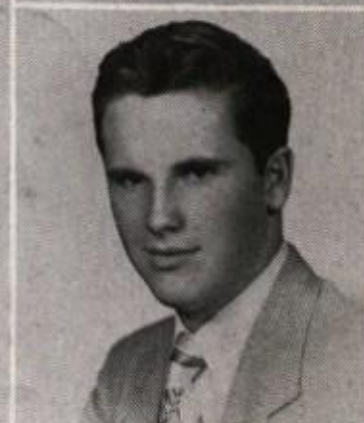
Commercial Course

"Annie"

Short, mischievous, and fun-loving "Annie" possesses all the wit, vim, and vigor it takes to start a good time. She is always neat and well-groomed.

Clubs: Knitting 1; Home Economics 2; Typing 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Band 4; Twirler 4; Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 3; Concession Worker 4; Club Officer 1.





HARVAN, EDWARD ROBERT

Academic Course

"Harvey"

A true companion is "Harvey." He is a tall, well-dressed boy known for his ability to keep people happy.

Clubs: Photography 1; Governors 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Class Play 3; Panther Staff 4.



HEFFELFINGER, HOWARD J.

College Preparatory Course

"Heff"

"Heff's" main interests are working with automobiles and guns. He has been active in track, and plans to become an engineer in the future.

Clubs: Band 1; Gym 2; Governors 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1; Track 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3; Student Council 4; Homeroom President 4.



HEFFELFINGER, SHIRLEY ANNE

College Preparatory Course

"Shirl"

"Shirley's" quiet ways have won her many friends. She is very jovial and fun loving. Her hobby is reading for enjoyment and knowledge.

Clubs: Make-Up 1; Home Economics 2; Library 3; Typing 4.

Activities: Panther Staff 4; Concession Worker 4.



HENNINGER, JOAN

College Preparatory Course

"Hen"

"Joannie" was an active member of the band, playing the clarinet and saxophone. Although a talented singer, nursing is her choice as a career.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Gym Exhibition 2, 3, 4; District Chorus 2, 3, 4; Forensics 3, 4; Class Secretary 1, 2; Concession Worker 4; Girls' Trio 2, 3, 4; Library Assistant 2, 3, 4; Home Room Secretary 1; Panther Staff 4.



HODEK, JOSEPH

Academic Course

"Slim"

"Slim" is one of the boy artists in the class. Someday he may become one of the great artists of our time.

Clubs: Art 1, 3; Governors 2, 4.

Activities: Concession Worker 4; Panther Staff 4; Club Officer 4; Intramural Basketball 1.



HRUSKA, MARGARET M.

Commercial Course

"Margie"

Twinkling eyes and dancing feet belong to "Margie." She promotes two of the best interests of women, talking and laughing.

Clubs: Knitting 1; Art 2; Typing 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Chorus 1; Class Play 3; Panther Staff; Club Officer 1.

HYDOCK, GEORGE JAMES

Academic Course

"Dukey"

In the coming years, "Dukey" will own one of the most famous garages in our town. He is always seen driving his father's car.

Clubs: Craft 1; Aviation 2; Typing 3, 4.

Activities: Panther Staff 4; Home Room Treasurer 2; Intramural Basketball 1.

JONES, LOUISE JO-ANN

Academic Course

"Liz"

The girl with the biggest smile is our "Liz." She is a real hep-cat and one of the best dancers of the class.

Clubs: Make-Up 1; Gym 2; Usher 3; Dramatics 4.

Activities: Class Play 1, 2; Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 3; Concession 4; Club Treasurer 3, 4.

KOCIOLEK, SIEGFRIED JACOB

Academic Course

"Ziggy"

Here is a lad whom any coach would welcome on his football or basketball team. He is truly an inspiring athlete.

Clubs: Study 1; Gym 2, 3; Sports 4.

Activities: Football 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.

KOVACIK, JOHN

College Preparatory Course

"John-e"

John's main pastimes are fishing and skiing, whatever the season. He plays the saxophone and possesses a good baritone voice.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Class Play 2, 3; Panther Staff 4; Oratory 3; Debate 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; District Chorus 3, 4; Concession Worker 4; Boys Quintet 2, 3, 4.

KRAJNAK, GEORGE STEPHEN

Academic Course

"Monte"

George is a short good-looking boy who is always full of laughter. His friendly and cheerful disposition will not be forgotten.

Clubs: Craft 1; Aviation 2; Archery 3; Sports Visual Education 4.

Activities: Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Volleyball 1; Homeroom Secretary 1.

KRALICEK, MARY D.

Commercial Course

"Midge"

Small, neat and friendly is this lassie. Always ready and willing to lend a helping hand, she will easily attain her goal.

Clubs: Home Economics 1, 2; Typing 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Gym Exhibition 3; Panther Staff 4; Concession Worker 4; Newspaper Staff 4.





KRIZAN, JOHN E.

College Preparatory Course

"Johnny"

"Johnny" is well known for scholastic record and many talents. With all these attributes he will make a top notch engineer.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Officer 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Class Play 3; Panther Staff 4; Oratory 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; District Chorus 3, 4; State Chorus 3; District Band 1, 3, 4; State Band 3; District Orchestra 3, 4; Forensics 3, 4; Concession Worker 4; Brass Sextet 1, 2; Male Quintet 2, 3; Intramural Volleyball 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 1.



KUCHTA, DAVID

Commercial Course

"Kookie"

"Kookie" seems bashful but is really mischievous. He is a whiz at hunting and fishing. Can't find a seat in the Palace ask "Kookie".

Clubs: Art 1, 2, 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Panther Staff 4; Concession Worker 4; Volleyball 1; Basketball 1, 2.



KULHA, ELLEN

Commercial Course

"El"

"El" is always in the center of some mischievous plot. She is a fun-loving-girl who enjoys life and is allergic to books.

Clubs: Art 1; Ushers 2, 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Gym Exhibition 2, 3; Concession Worker 4; Panther Staff 4.



LORAN, JAMES STERMAN

College Preparatory Course

"P-nuts"

"Jimmy's" talent with the drums earned him a position in a popular orchestra. When not with the drums, he's with another senior.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 3.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Officer 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Track Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 1, 3; Panther Staff 4; District Band 2, 3, 4; District Orchestra 3, 4; Homeroom Officer 1, 2, 3.



MALIK, ELIZABETH ANN

Commercial Course

"Skipper"

"Skipper" is a happy-go-lucky lass who gives no thought to gloom. Her hobby is oil-painting at which she excels.

Clubs: Art 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4.

Activities: Gym Exhibition 2, 3; Panther Staff 4; Concession Worker 4; Homeroom Officer 2, 4.



MARKOVICH, JAMES

Academic Course

"Jim"

"Handsome" is a very tall, blonde lad who is bound to be manager of the Palace theater in the years to come.

Clubs: Athletic 1; Craft 2, 3; Sports 4.

Activities: Football 1, 3, 4; Track 1; Panther Staff 4; Intramural Volleyball 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2.

MARSHALL, SHIRLEY ANN

College Preparatory Course

"Shirl"

"Shirl" was very active in our band. Quiet, but very friendly, the University of Pennsylvania will warmly welcome her as a student nurse.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 2; Music Contest 1, 3, 4; Class Officer 3; Concession Worker 4; Library Assistant 2, 3, 4; Clarinet Quartet 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Officer 2, 3.

MATTA, ANNETTE JUNE

Academic Course

"Smatta"

"Smatta" is one of the most comical girls in our class. There is always a good time to be had when she is around.

Clubs: Make-Up 1; Gym 2; Typing 3; Home Economics 4.

Activities: Concession Worker 4; Club Officer 4.

MATTA, MARY

Academic Course

"Mots"

"Mots" may not be Einstein's daughter, but we are sure she can help him with his work in the development of atomic theories.

Clubs: Make-Up 1, 3; Ushers 2; Home Economics 4.

Activities: Chorus 3; Gym Exhibition 2; Concession Worker 4.

MATTA, ROBERT PATRICK

Academic Course

"Bob-e"

An outstanding lad in the field of gymnastics is "Bob." He is also the holder of two jobs, which keep him quite busy.

Clubs: Photography 1; Gym 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 2; Football Manager 3; Basketball Manager 3; Concession Worker 4; Gym Exhibition 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 1; Home Room Vice President 4; Club Officer 1, 2, 3, 4.

MIHALOVIC, JOSEPHINE

Commercial Course

"Jo"

"Jo" possesses a quiet humor, which is seen only by those who know her. She is a super-active cheerleader.

Clubs: Home Economics 1, 2; Gym 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Gym Exhibition 2, 3; Panther Staff 4; Cheerleader 4; Concession Worker 4.

MORGANS, ELDA MAE

College Preparatory Course

"Elda"

A quiet girl, "Elda" serves as a capable waitress after school. She hopes to make a career of nursing after she graduates.

Clubs: Art 1; Nursing 2; Library 3; Typing 4.





MOSCOE, JOSEPH

Academic Course

"Joe"

"Joe" appears to be a bashful boy, but when you get to know him, Oh Boy! He likes sports, but music is his favorite pastime.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1.



PASHO, MARY

Commercial Course

"Snoozie"

"Snoozie" can get herself into the most confusing situations, but usually finds a way out quickly. Her gags and jokes make us delirious.

Clubs: Make-Up 1; Ushers 2, 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Gym Exhibition 3; Home Room Secretary 3; Panther Staff 4; Concession Worker 4.



PAVLIK, JOSEPH

General Course

"Joe"

This boy's chief topic of discussion was the "Yankees." Very pleasant and a true "friend in need" accurately describes him.

Clubs: Photography 1; Governors 2, 4; Sports 3.

Activities: Intramural Volleyball 1; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Concession 4.



PERZEL, MARGARET

Commercial Course

"Margie"

Carefree and likable "Margie" has brought us many hours of entertainment. A swimmer and diver, she is an all around athlete.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1; Panther Staff 4; Oratory 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Girls' Chorus 2; Mixed Ensemble 3; Mixed Chorus 4; Gym Exhibition 2, 3; District Band 1; District Chorus 3; Concession Worker 4; Home Room President 1, 2, 3; Home Room Treasurer 4; Clarinet Quartet 2, 3; Vice President 1, 4; Band Officer 4; Senior Class Play 4.



PETKO, FRANCIS

Academic Course

"Pet"

A quiet, shy boy is Francis. He has a sunny disposition which makes him very popular. The "Pirates" are his favorite baseball team.

Clubs: English 1; Photography 2; Sports 3; Governors 4.

Activities: Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Intramural Volleyball 1; Concession Worker 4.



PISKO, HELEN

Commercial Course

"Lenny"

"Lenny" is tall and blonde with lots of pep and not a thought to gloom. Her dancing abilities make her known by all.

Clubs: Make-Up 1; Ushers 2, 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Band 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 1; Girls' Chorus 2; Concession Worker 4; Panther Staff 4.

POLAKOVIC, MICHAEL

Academic Course

"Polo"

"Polo" is tall and cute, with a big smile for everyone. He is a regular customer of Johnnie's Bowling Alley.

Clubs: Sports 1; Autograph 2; Craft 3, 4.

Activities: Football 3; Panther Staff 4; Concession Worker 4; Club Officer 2.

REPINEC, PAULINE ANN

Commercial Course

"Butchie"

Flirtatious, peppy, good-natured "Butchie" is a good sport and enjoys life to the fullest. Her cheery disposition will surely take her places.

Clubs: Home Economics 1, 2; Gym 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Cheerleader 4; Concession Worker 4; Gym Exhibition 2, 3; Panther Staff 4; Club Officer 2, 4.

SAVITSKY, JOHN

Academic Course

"Johnny"

One of our neat dressers is "Johnny." He is a whiz at fixing cars, and maybe someday will have a garage of his own.

Clubs: Gym 1; Autograph 2; Craft 3, 4;

Activities: Football 1, 3; Panther Staff 4; Club Officer 2, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2.

SHOBER, ANN MARIE

College Preparatory

"Shobe"

"Shobe" with her bright red hair, leads the twirlers in our band. Friendliness and a quiet personality will make her an ideal nurse.

Clubs: Band 1, 2; Gym 3; Typing 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Twirler 1, 2, 3; Majorette 4; Panther Staff 4; Chorus 3; Student Council 4; Gym Exhibition 2; Concession Worker 4; Home Room President 1.

SKRZYPIEC, ALBERT R.

Academic Course

"Skrip"

"Skrip" is a lad with dark hair and a great athletic ability. He is a hard worker and known for neatness and well grooming.

Clubs: English 1; Nature 2; Craft 4; Sports 4.

Activities: Football 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2.

SNISCAK, MICHAEL

Academic Course

"Snitcher"

One of the tallest and lankiest boys in our class is "Snitcher." He likes polkas and is one of Ray Henry's number one fans.

Clubs: Photography 1; Autograph 2; Craft 3, 4.

Activities: Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Club Officer 2.





SPENCE, DORIS ANN

Academic Course

"Dorry"

"Doris" has shown great ability on the mats in gym exhibitions and as a cheerleader. Her pretty smile will long be remembered.

Clubs: Knitting 1; Gym Club 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Panther Staff 4; Cheerleader 4; Oratory 1, 2; Chorus 2; Gym Exhibition 1, 2, 3, 4.



STEWART, CHARLES McCLEMEN

College Preparatory Course

"Chas"

"The boy with a smile for all" very accurately describes "Chas." You can be sure no gathering is dull when he is present.

Clubs: Photography 1; Public Speaking 2, 3; Governors 4.

Activities: Track 4; Class Play 3; Panther Staff 4; Oratory 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 1; Concession Worker 4.



STICKLER, EDWINA MAE

College Preparatory Course

"Ed-de"

"Edwina" is a whiz on the gym floor and plays a saxophone in our band. Her sunny disposition will certainly aid her as a nurse.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 1, 4; Panther Staff 4; Chorus 3, 4; Gym Exhibition 2; Concession Worker 4; Home Room Officer 1; Library Assistant 2, 3, 4.



STICKLER, MARY LOUISE

College Preparatory Course

"Mary Lou"

This Miss with the long, blonde hair is very interested in art, acting, and oratory. However, art is her choice as a career.

Clubs: Art 1; Band 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 2, 3, 4; Band Officer 4; Class Play 1, 2, 3, 4; Panther Staff 4; Oratory 1, 2, 3, 4; Gym Exhibition 2; Concession Worker 4; Assistant Librarian 2, 3, 4; Poppy Poster Contest 1, 3; State Poppy Poster Contest 3.



SUROTCHAK, JOAN

College Preparatory Course

"Surotch"

"Surotch" is cheerful, friendly and a lot of fun. She has been active in the band as a clarinetist and plans to be a nurse.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Panther Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2; Gym Exhibition 2; District Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 2; Concession Worker 4; Home Room Secretary 1, 4; Clarinet Quartet 1, 2, 3.



TARLTON, WILLIAM R.

College Preparatory Course

"Willy T."

How dull our class plays would have been without "Willy." Besides acting, he is famous for his interest in men's fashions and novelty tricks.

Clubs: Art 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Class Play 2, 3, 4; Panther Staff 4; Oratory 1, 2, 3; Concession Worker 4.

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TERRY, BARBARA ANN

Academic Course

W. cute girl
"Babs"

lots of fun
"Babs'" ambition is to be a General in the Woman's Reserves. She also likes ice-skating and a certain someone in Nesquehoning.

eyes
Clubs: Knitting 1; Home Economics 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Concession 4.

VADYAK, HARRY

Commercial Course

"Vadge"

As a business manager "Vadge" is one of the best. As well as being a neat dresser, he is musically inclined.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Panther Staff 4; Brass Sextet 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Volleyball 1.

No marge, fun in days
VAVRA, ROSE

Commercial Course

"Ross"

Have fun in days
"Ross" possesses a sense of humor and is always neat and well groomed. Wherever you find "Ross" you will always find enjoyment.

You
Clubs: Make-Up 1; Home Economics 2; Ushers 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Panther Staff 4; Concession Worker 4; Gym Exhibition 3; Club Officer 2.

VITEK, JO-ANN

Commercial Course

"Yontee"

A melodious voice, and a friendly word for all describes our "Yontee." Her ability to execute intricate dance is known by all.

Clubs: Art 1, 2, 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Class Play 1, 2, 3, 4; Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 3; Concession Worker 4; Chorus 1; Mixed Ensemble 2, 3; Mixed Chorus 4.

VITEK, RICHARD

Academic Course

"Richie"

Though our Richie is small, there is a lot to be said about his pleasing personality. His love for sports will get him places.

Clubs: Photography 1; Camera 2; Archery 3; Sports Visual Ed. 4.

Activities: Football 3, 4; Student Council 4; Student Council Officer 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Club Officer 2.

WARGO, BERNARD

College Preparatory Course

"Noot"

Self reliant and serious, Bernie is the owner of a famous red coupe. Mechanically inclined, he is a whiz in Physics.

Clubs: Art 1; Engineering 2; Craft 3; Radio 4.

Activities: Oratory 1; Track 2, 3; Class Play 2, 3; Student Council 2, 3; Class President 3; Home Room Officer 3; Club Officer 3; Concession Worker 4.





YALCH, JOHN RICHARD

"Bearcat"

Academic Course

With his striking personality and trumpet, "Bearcat" has become the successful leader of the "Polka Dots." He is also known as a topnotch cook.

Clubs: Band 1, 2; Oratory 3; Governors 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2; Basketball Manager 1; Class Play 1, 2; Panther Staff 4; Concession Worker 4.



YESENKO, ELEANOR

"El"

College Preparatory Course

"El" is a fun-loving girl whose gay laughter and escapades will not be forgotten. Wherever goes "El," goes a good time.

Clubs: Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Oratory 1; Gym Exhibition 2, 3; District Band 3; Home Room Officer 1; Concession Worker 4; Panther Staff 4.



YUSKANISH, JANICE ANN

"Jan"

Commercial Course

Our "Strawberry Blonde", quick to anger, but quick to forget, has made a host of friends. "Jan's" giggle is known by all.

Clubs: Art 1, 2; Ushers 3; Mimeographing 4.

Activities: Panther Staff 4; Gym Exhibition 2, 3; Concession Worker 4; Class Play 4; Club Officer 3.



ZARSKY, FRANCES

"Breezie"

Academic Course

Here is a girl with plenty of pep. "Breezie" likes ice skating, but give her a Bop Combo, and she'll dance the feet off you.

Clubs: Cheerleading 1; Gym 2; Home Economics 3, 4.

Activities: Cheerleader 1, 2, 3; Concession 4; Club Officer 3, 4; Panther Staff 4.



ZONA, ANNA

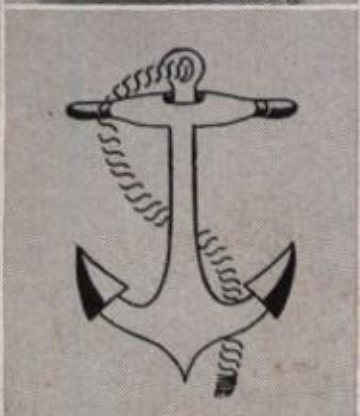
"Ann"

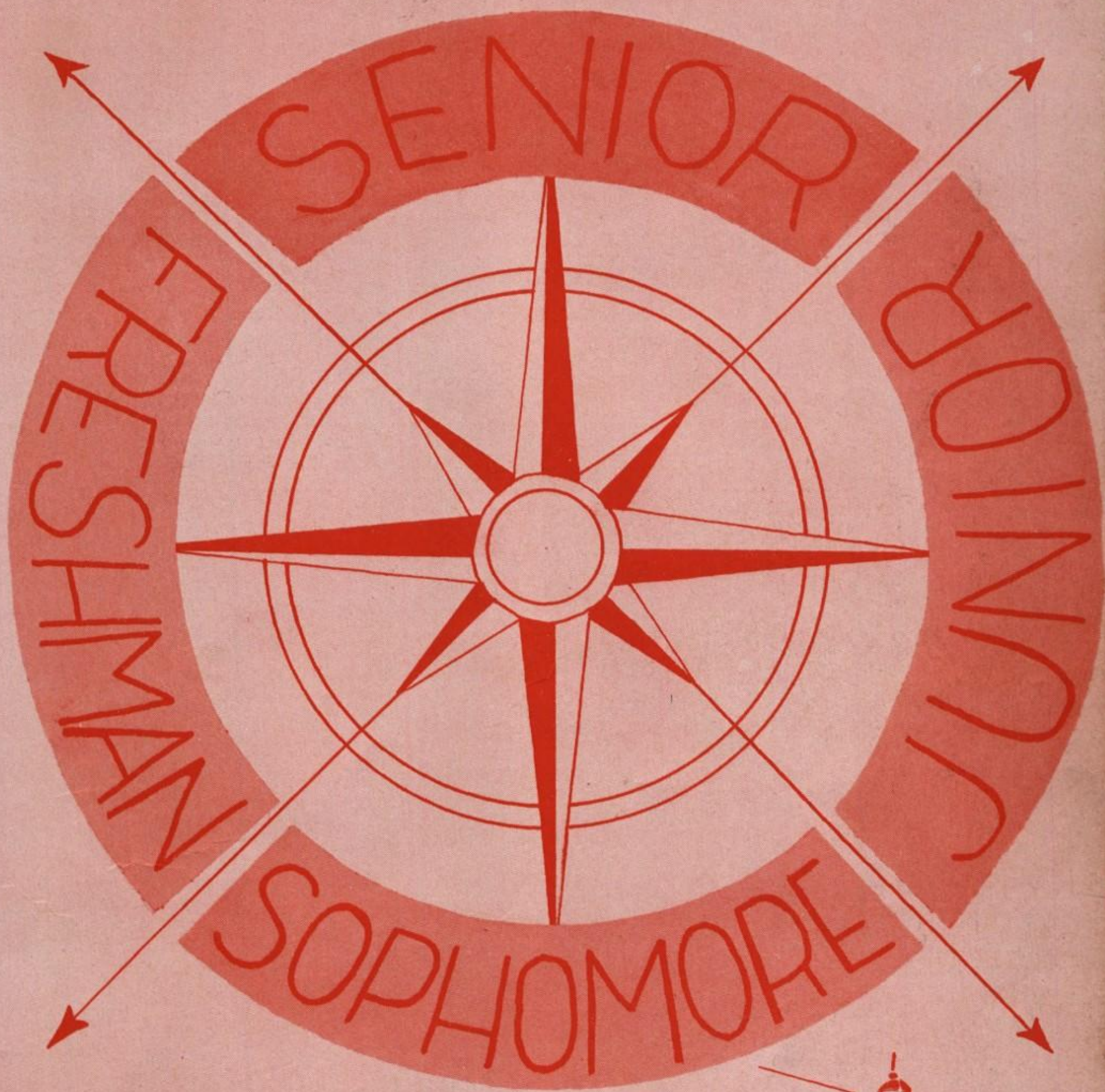
Commercial Course

Small, sturdy, "Ann" is a vivacious cheerleader and a good artist. She is a true friend and jolly companion.

Clubs: Cheerleading 1; Art 2, 3; Mimeographing.

Activities: Oratory 1; Cheerleader 1, 2, 4; Concession Worker 4; Panther Staff 4.







Left to Right: Jay Cook, Margaret Perzel, Peggy Davis, Louis Dignazio

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 Vice-President.....Margaret Perzel
 Secretary.....Peggy Davis
 Treasurer.....Jay Cook

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Mr. Francis Dolan

Miss Ida Wynn

SENIOR CLASS ROLL

Ambrose, Georgine
 Basiago, Florence
 Becker, Marie
 Besbris, Jerry
 Bokrosh, George
 Brimmer, Nancy
 Buchala, John
 Clark, Margaret
 Cook, Monroe
 Cuning, Betty
 Davis, Peggy
 Dignazio, Louis
 Drozd, Edward
 Drozd, John
 Evans, Marvin
 Ferretti, Louis
 Filloy, Joseph
 Fittos, Bernard
 Gallagher, Theresa
 Gallagher, Thomas
 Gallanda, Geraldine
 Gorka, Stella
 Grezik, Stephen
 Hajcak, Anna
 Harvan, Edward
 Heffelfinger, Howard

Heffelfinger, Shirley
 Henninger, Joan
 Hodek, Joseph
 Hruska, Margaret
 Hydock, George
 Jones, Louise
 Kociolek, Siegfried
 Kovacik, John
 Krajnak, George
 Kralicek, Mary
 Krizan, John
 Kuchta, David
 Kuhla, Ellen
 Lorah, James
 Malik, Elizabeth
 Markovich, James
 Marshall, Shirley
 Matta, Annette
 Matta, Mary
 Matta, Robert
 Mihalovic, Josephine
 Morgans, Elda Mae
 Moscoe, Joseph
 Pasho, Mary
 Pavlik, Joseph

Perzel, Margaret
 Petko, Francis
 Plsko, Helen
 Polakovic, Michael
 Repinec, Pauline
 Savitsky, John
 Shober, Ann
 Skrzypiec, Albert
 Sniscak, Michael
 Spence, Doris
 Stewart, Charles
 Stickler, Edwina
 Stickler, Mary Louise
 Surotchak, Joan
 Tarlton, William
 Terry, Barbara
 Vadyak, Harry
 Vavra, Rose
 Vitek, Jo-Ann
 Vitek, Richard
 Wargo, Bernard
 Yalch, John
 Yesenko, Eleanor
 Yuskanish, Janice
 Zarsky, Frances
 Zona, Anna





Left to Right: Ann Figura, Thomas Hager, Joseph Hlavaty, Betsy Fessler

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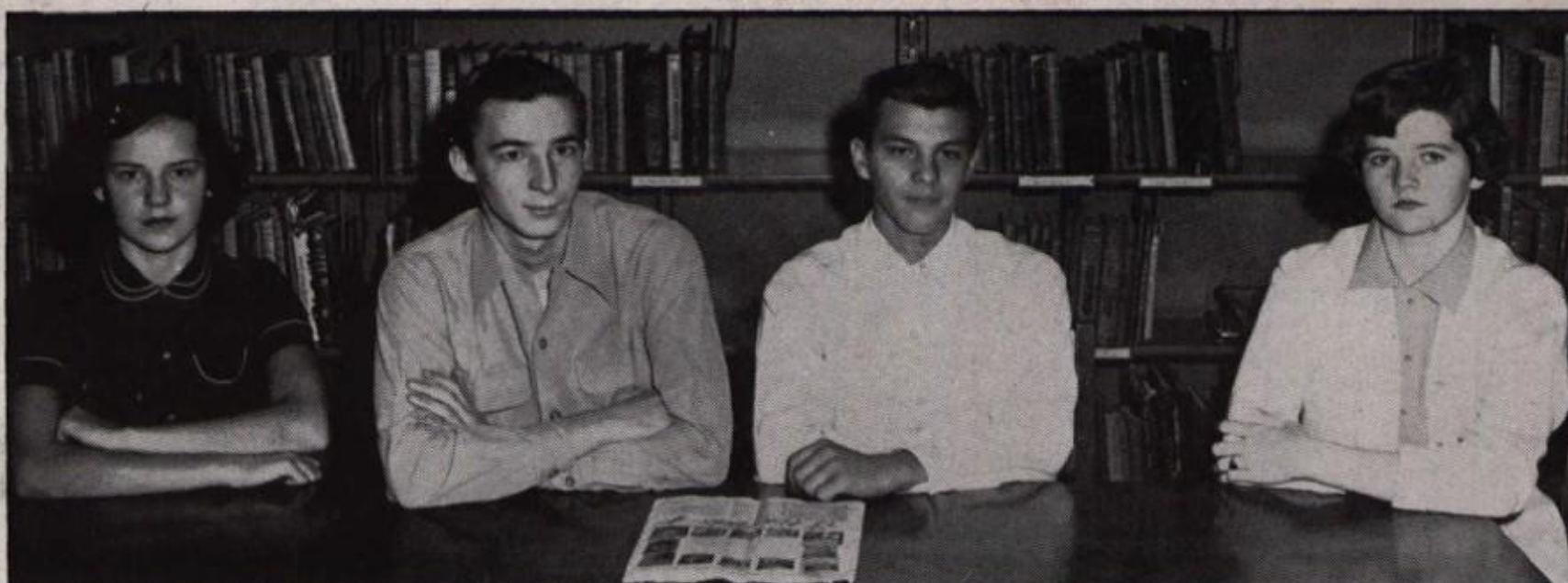
JUNIOR CLASS ROLL

Ardos, Elizabeth
 Bohenick, Frank
 Botek, Agnes
 Brennan, Thomas
 Breslin, Irene
 Breslin, Jacquelyn
 Brinkos, Frances
 Brunda, Francis
 Bydlon, Edward
 Culley, Frances
 Dedinsky, Eleanor
 Demcak, John
 Demyan, Joseph
 Fessler, Betsy
 Figura, Ann
 Friendak, Robert
 Galgoci, Charles
 Gamble, Bernice
 Gormley, Randolph
 Hager, Thomas
 Hanas, Michael
 Hill, James
 Hlavaty, Joseph
 Hlubik, John
 Hosak, Marie
 Hydock, Dorothy
 Kadlecik, Elizabeth

Kitlan, Lillian
 Kolaya, Emily
 Koselko, Margaret
 Koscica, Albert
 Koshuta, Angella
 Leonard, Daniel
 LeRoy, Dorothy
 Lopata, Michael
 Major, George
 Markey, Bernard
 Martinkovic, Wendell
 McCall, Thomas
 McLaughlin, Patricia
 Mikolijczyk, Genevieve
 Mollard, Marilyn
 Novotny, Margaret
 Ogorzalek, Joseph
 Ogozalek, Bernard
 Olson, Ward
 Orsulak, Joseph
 Pavlik, George
 Penberth, Donald
 Pollak, Joseph
 Pollock, John
 Popik, Robert
 Puskar, Dorothy
 Radocha, Anna

Reese, Theodore
 Repko, John
 Romanek, Stephen
 Rosak, Elizabeth
 Ruzicka, Lillian
 Scrbacic, Dorothy
 Sfarra, Louis
 Shappell, Nancy
 Skrabak, Anna
 Smith, William
 Smith, William D.
 Snoha, Andrew
 Sova, Jeanne
 Sparks, John
 Stack, Joseph
 Stewart, Jane
 Swider, Dolores
 Swider, Marianne
 Thomas, Beverly
 Totani, Inez
 Vavro, Sylvia
 Vitek, Stephen
 Williams, Joyce
 Williams, Ruth
 Yevchak, Helen
 Zlock, Frank
 Zuzu, John





Left to Right: Mae Perzel, Paul Steranka, John Steber, Regina McCall

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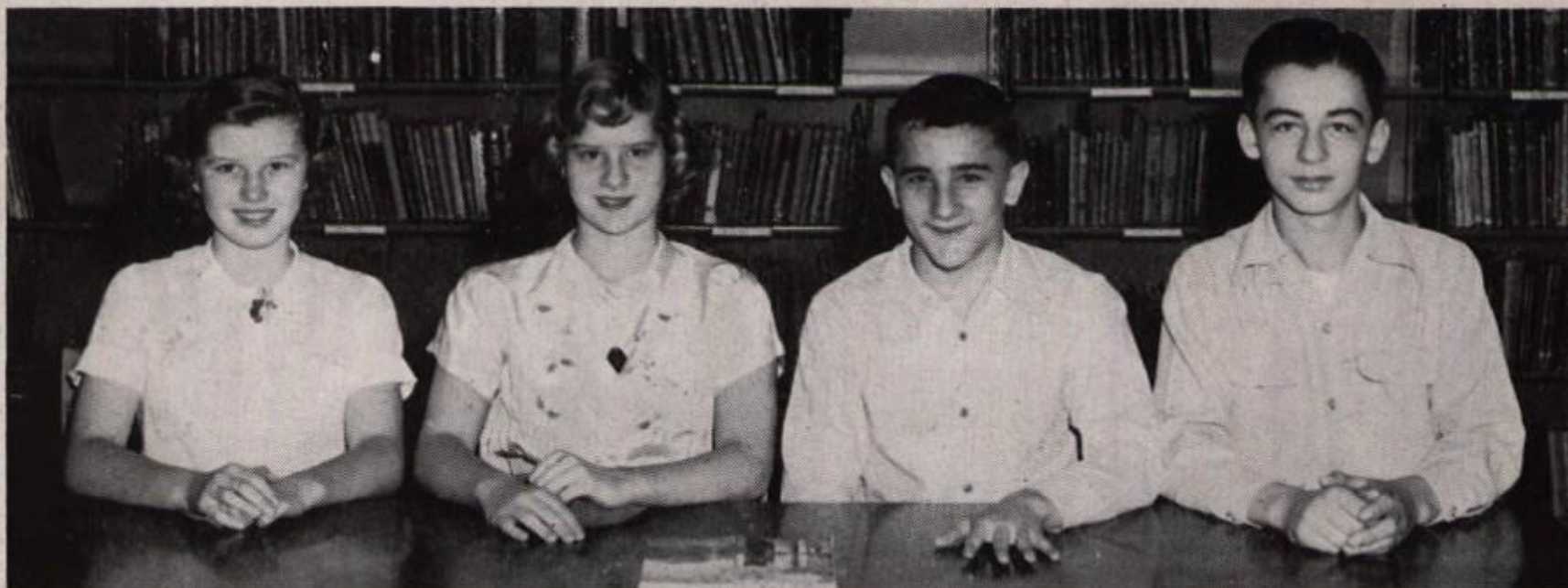
SOPHOMORE CLASS ROLL

Brimmer, Roberta
 Brunda, Stephen
 Cannon, Hugh
 Chawojksy, Edward
 Cheehan, Kathleen
 Chuckran, Anne
 Chuckran, Edward
 Culley, Donald
 Dardas, James
 Davidson, Dorothy
 Demyan, Martha
 Domines, Frank
 Earley, Margaret
 Edwards, Frank
 Gabriel, Grace
 Galgoci, Joseph
 Gallagher, John
 Gazo, Dolores
 Gazo, Elizabeth
 Griffith, David
 Haughton, Catherine
 Haughton, Elizabeth
 Hontz, Lois
 Hrubovcak, John
 Huegel, Donald
 Hydock, Betty
 Infante, Dominic
 Jacobs, Joanne

Janis, John
 Jones, Nancy
 Jurich, Christine
 Kanuch, John
 Kendra, Joseph
 Koin, Andrew
 Koscica, Pauline
 Krajcirovic, Rose
 Lazar, Anna
 Macharsky, Thelma
 Mahala, Florence
 Matrician, Eleanor
 Matta, Bernard
 McCall, Regina
 McLean, Gary
 Mikolijczyk, Frances
 Morgans, Mary Ann
 Nemecek, Martha
 O'Connell, Michael
 Olson, Carol
 Pasho, George
 Pasho, Mary
 Patuka, Paul
 Perzel, Mae
 Phillipovich, Adele
 Pisko, Thomas
 Polinchock, Janet
 Pollock, Nancy
 Porambo, Catherine

Porambo, Frank
 Probert, Ann
 Rachko, John
 Radocha, Francis
 Sassaman, Jacqueline
 Scaran, Gerard
 Shober, Joan
 Sniscak, Judith
 Stalma, Frances
 Steber, John
 Steranka, Paul
 Terry, Martha
 Valick, Paul
 Velky, John
 Vitek, Joseph
 Vitek, Leonard
 Wargo, Margaret
 Welsh, Thomas
 Wildermuth, Corrine
 Yalch, Lorraine
 Yamarik, David
 Yanchura, Edward
 York, Ronald
 Yurro, Lorraine
 Yusella, Michael
 Zarsky, John
 Zona, Mary Louise
 Zuzu, Mary Ann





Left to Right: Irene Yaskanish, Shirley Figura, Anthony Dignazio, Stephen Kamenicky

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 Treasurer Irene Yuskanish

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FRESHMEN CLASS ROLL

Arner, Joseph
 Becker, Anne
 Brinkos, Elizabeth
 Bujnovsky, Joseph
 Dafiume, Loretta
 Danshaw, Dolores
 DeLong, John
 Dignazio, Anthony
 Dubosky, Joseph
 Dvorsky, Victor
 Ferretti, George
 Fignar, Shirley
 Fittos, Marie
 Foster, Marian
 Gaborik, Frank
 Gallagher, Elizabeth
 Hill, Allan
 Holmes, Mary Jane
 Hummer, Larry
 Hyla, Eleanore
 Jacobs, Betty

Jupina, Michael
 Kamenicky, Stephen
 Karnish, Frances
 Kashner, Christine
 Kerestes, Michael
 Kerstetter, Robert
 Kollar, Louise
 Koltiska, Thomas
 Kosalko, Thomas
 Koscica, Robert
 Kovach, Marian
 Lopata, Robert
 Lusch, LaMarr
 Mack, Robert
 Marshall, John
 Matta, Elaine
 Matta, Rose Mary
 Matula, Joseph
 Maury, Joyce
 McNelis, Francis

Midas, Michael
 Mongi, Joseph
 O'Connell, Anne
 Ogozalek, Stanley
 Pasho, Suzann
 Penberth, Roy
 Perko, Martha
 Pollock, Sally
 Pollock, Thomas
 Romanek, Donald
 Silver, Janet
 Skovran, George
 Skrabak, Agnes
 Spence, David
 Sroka, Mary Ann
 Swider, Kenneth
 Thomas, Joseph
 Tiley, Frederick
 Wernert, Charles
 Yantosik, George
 Yuskanish, Irene



Miss Mary Holmes

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Mr. Michael Oriel

SEVENTH GRADE

Babish, Charles
Becker, William
Booth, Janet
Brimble, Arthur
Brown, Robert
Clark, Robert
Culley, Drew
Davidson, William
Depuy, Gordon
Derby, Ronald
Dreisbach, Donna
Erwin, Diane
Filloy, Manuel
Heffelfinger, Edward
Hill, Thomas
Jones, Robert
Kocha, Michael

Lopata, John
Lusch, Richard
Macenka, John
Mackay, Mary Ann
Matrician, Peter
McCartney, Sally Ann
McMichael, Lamont
Morgans, Betty Jane
Moscoe, Ronald
Novak, Joseph
Olson, John
Perko, Ruth
Pollock, James
Pollock, Lee
Reese, Richard
Roshak, Irene

Semko, Vivian
Shinton, Robert
Silver, Robert
Starry, Richard
Stickler, Carole
Thomas, Nancy
Tiley, Dana Dee
Totani, Lino
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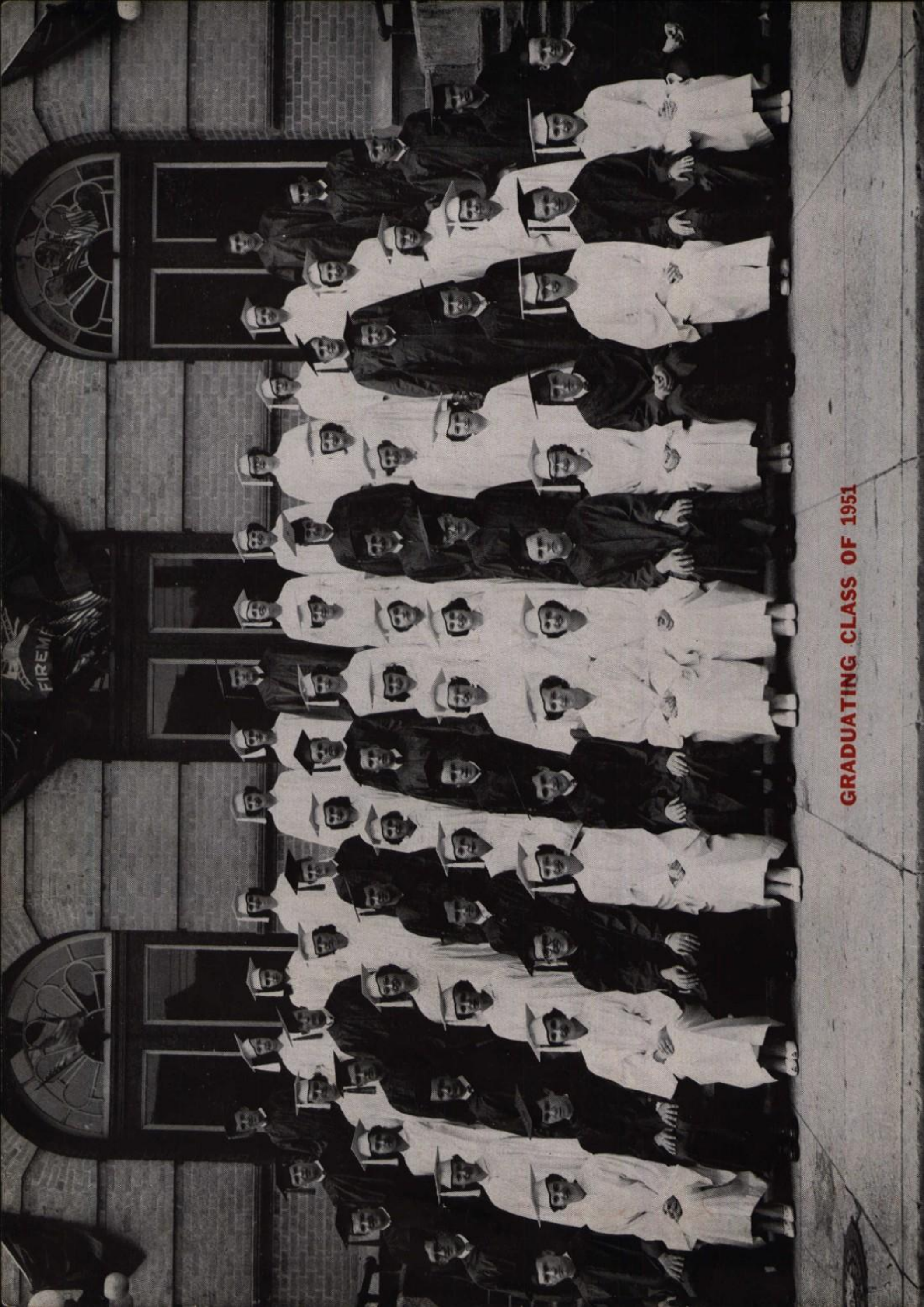
EIGHTH GRADE

Ambrose, Nancy
Campbell, Alice
Chenetz, Rhona
Connor, Stroud
Demyan, Nicholas
Earley, John R.
Gallus, Janet
Gormley, James
Haughton, John
Jasinsky, Robert
Jones, Lois
Kiripolsky, Dorothy

Klees, Judith
Koller, Janice
Koshuta, Mary Ann
Mikolijczyk, Peter
Montgomery, Robert
Mullen, Donald
Probert, Jane
Raabe, David
Rickert, Patricia
Rubart, David
Scheese, Leonard

Shober, Thomas
Smith, Shirley
Sundberg, Bryson
Thomas, Thomas
Thomas, William
Tomchick, Suzanne
Wasilko, Daniel
Weaver, Robert
Williams, Anita
Williams, James
Yurick, Barbara
Zona, Paul





GRADUATING CLASS OF 1951



Bill Taylor



FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

— 1951 —

Date	Team	LHS	Opp.
September 16	McADOO.....	6	7
September 21	FRACKVILLE.....	6	6
September 29	SUMMIT HILL.....	6	25
October 5	SHENANDOAH.....	14	6
October 13	WEST HAZLETON.....	20	0
October 19	TAMAQUA.....	0	46
October 26	CASS TOWNSHIP.....	13	13
November 1	HAZLE TOWNSHIP.....	26	0
November 10	NESQUEHONING.....	6	19
November 22	COALDALE.....	2	0
Total Points.....		99	122



MR. JOHN CHUCKRAN
Head Coach



MR. MICHAEL ORIEL
Assistant Coach

Michael M. Oriel

THE PANTHERS ON THE GRIDIRON

McADOO 7 – LANSFORD 6 — Johnny Chuckran, entering his first season as coach of the Panthers, dropped a heartbreaker to the Maroons of McAdoo on a muddy gridiron. It was a hard-fought game, with Lansford in command till the final minutes of play when the Maroons scored and made the all important extra point.

LANSFORD 6 – FRACKVILLE 6 — It looked as though the Red and White had their first win of the season, but the Fracks came through with a touchdown at the close of the last period and deadlocked the contest.

SUMMIT HILL 25 – LANSFORD 6 — The Hiller's passing circus and running attack stymied the Panthers and resulted in our team's being on the short end of the final score.

LANSFORD 14 – SHENANDOAH 6 — The charges of coach Chuckran crashed into the win column for the first time by playing an impressive game against the Shenandoah Blue Devils. Trailing at half-time, the L. H. S. gridders came back for the second half and opened up the defense, thus gaining a well-earned victory.

LANSFORD 20 – WEST HAZLETON 0 — Playing host to a powerful and favored Wildcat eleven, our boys displayed true fighting spirit and soundly trounced the visiting aggregation.

TAMAQUA 46 – LANSFORD 0 — The Red and White winning streak was temporarily stalled by a then unbeaten, Blue Raiders grid machine which went on to take the Panther Valley championship.

LANSFORD 13 – CASS TOWNSHIP 13 — After being outscored and outplayed in the first two quarters, the Panthers returned to tie a very fast Cass team.

LANSFORD 26 – HAZLE TOWNSHIP 0—Lansford chalked up their third victory of the season by beating Hazle Township in the L. H. S. field.

NESQUEHONING 19 – LANSFORD 6 — Our squad travelled to Nesquehoning with high hopes of conquering its Valley rival, but was checkmated by a determined host team.

LANSFORD 2 – COALDALE 0 — This was the biggest victory for the Panthers and the first time we had beaten a Coaldale eleven in a few years. Fourteen boys donned Red and White pads and helmets for the last time. They included: Evans, Dignazio, Kosica, Gallagher, Kosciolek, Vitek, Bokrosh, Skryzpiec, Filloy, Besbris, Buchala, Markovich, Grezik, and Krajnak. The Tigers were held without a single first down, Bob Popik, a Lansford tackle, scored the winning safety on a blocked kick in the fourth quarter.

ALL STAR GAME — On the cold and blustery 28th of November, the second annual All Star Game, sponsored by the Coaldale and Lansford Lions Clubs, was played in the L. H. S. Stadium. Rebounding from last year, the Schuylkill County Seniors drew a 15-0 verdict over the Carbon County Seniors. Seven Lansford boys took part in the contest.

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

	TD	PAT	SAF.	PTS.
Ziggy Kosciolek	6	1	0	37
Steve Vitek.....	3	0	0	18
Tom Gallagher.....	2	1	0	13
Lou Dignazio	2	0	0	12
Marvin Evans	1	0	0	6
George Major	1	0	0	6
Bob Popik.....	0	4	1	6
Eddie Chuckran	0	1	0	1
Totals.....	15	7	1	99



Left to Right: Robert Popik, Frank Zlock, John Buchala, Louis Sfarra, Marvin Evans, Richard Vitek, Siegfried Kosciolek, Bernard Ogozalek, John Zuzu, Edward Drozd, Louis Dignazio, Mr. Chuckran, Coach.

Varsity Basketball Schedule

			LHS	Opp.
December 7	H	MAUCH CHUNK.....	50	45
December 11	A	FREELAND	34	37
December 14	A	EAST MAUCH CHUNK.....	42	55
December 17	H	FREELAND	33	50
December 20	H	MAUCH CHUNK.....	76	64
January 4	H	COALDALE.....	69	28
January 8	A	MAHANOEY CITY.....	52	64
January 11	A	TAMAQUA.....	35	37
January 15	H	NESQUEHONING	36	61
January 17	H	BLYTHE TOWNSHIP.....	52	63
January 22	H	SUMMIT HILL.....	33	61
February 1	A	COALDALE.....	59	40
February 5	H	MAHANOEY CITY.....	60	38
February 8	H	TAMAQUA.....	45	61
February 12	A	NESQUEHONING	24	79
February 15	A	BLYTHE TOWNSHIP	37	42
February 19	A	SUMMIT HILL.....	48	50

H — Home
A — Away



Left to Right: Stanley Ogozalek, Michael Midas, John Steber, Frederick Tiley, John Marshall, John Gallagher, Thomas Welch, Mr. Oriel, Coach; Larry Hummer, Francis Radoka, Thomas Pisko, John Kanuch, James Dardas, Edward Yanchura, Bernard Matta. Center front: Edward Chuckran.

JAY-VEE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

			LHS	Opp.
December 7	H	MAUCH CHUNK.....	64	24
December 11	A	FREELAND	49	45
December 14	A	EAST MAUCH CHUNK.....	52	36
December 17	H	FREELAND	55	39
December 20	A	MAUCH CHUNK.....	51	40
January 4	H	COALDALE.....	54	39
January 8	A	MAHANOEY CITY.....	28	44
January 11	A	TAMAQUA.....	27	21
January 15	H	NESQUEHONING	63	42
January 17	H	BLYTHE TOWNSHIP	58	18
January 22	H	SUMMIT HILL.....	48	36
February 1	A	COALDALE	59	31
February 5	H	MAHANOEY CITY.....	44	25
February 8	H	TAMAQUA.....	56	49
February 12	H	NESQUEHONING	51	47
February 15	A	BLYTHE TOWNSHIP	39	42
February 19	A	SUMMIT HILL.....	40	49

H — Home

A — Away

SENIOR BAND PERSONNEL

CHESTER A. STINEMAN, *Director*

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 Stella Gorka.....Secretary
 Margie Perzel.....Treasurer
 Mary Lou Stickler.....Reporter
 Kay Haughton.....Librarian
 Joanne Jacobs.....Assistant Librarian
 Michael O'Connell.....Manager

Flute

Kay Haughton
 Angela Koshuta
 Jane Stewart
 Frances Mikolajczyk

Clarinet

Joan Surotchak
 Ward Olson
 Margie Perzel
 Shirley Marshall
 Stella Gorka
 Eleanor Yesenko
 Steve Brunda
 David Raabe
 Allen Hill
 Nancy Brimmer
 Mae Perzel
 George Scovran
 Mary Lou Stickler
 Jack Marshall
 David Yamarik
 Emilie Kolaya
 Jean Sova
 Stroud Connor
 Joseph Mongi
 Frank Edwards
 Inez Totani
 Peggy Clark
 Russell Earley
 Nancy Thomas
 William Wildoner
 Robert Lusch

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John Sparks
 Ronald Moscoe

Saxophone

Alice Campbell
 George Bokrosh
 Michael Lopata
 Michael Midas
 John Kovacik
 Edwina Stickler
 Lorraine Yurro
 Joan Henninger

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Harry Vadyak
 Gary McLean
 Charles Wernert
 Thomas Welsh
 Robert Mack
 Lamar Lusch
 William Thomas
 Dorothy Davidson
 Lamont McMichael

French Horn

John Krizan
 Michael O'Connell
 Joanne Jacobs
 Nicholas Demyan
 Patsy Rickert

Trombone

Fred Tiley
 Paul Patuka

Joe Demyan

Jack Steber

Sousaphone

Joseph Moscoe

Bass Drum

Leonard Vitek

Snare Drums

James Lorah
 William Cannon
 David Griffith

Bell Lyre

Elizabeth Haughton

Majorettes

Georgine Ambrose
 Ann Shober

Twirlers

Betty Cuning
 Peggy Davis
 Ann Hajcak
 Lillian Ruzicka
 Frances Culley
 Frances Brinkos
 Dorothy Scrbacic
 Dana Dee Tiley

Color Guards

Helen Pisko
 Anna Radocha
 Helen Yevcak
 Martha Demyan
 Ann Chuckran
 Adele Phillipovich



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Top Row: Charles Stewart, John Kovacik, Louis Dignazio, George Bokrosh, John Krizan

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Standing: Lillian Ruzicka, Betty Cunning, Georgine Ambrose, Frances Brinkos, Peggy Davis

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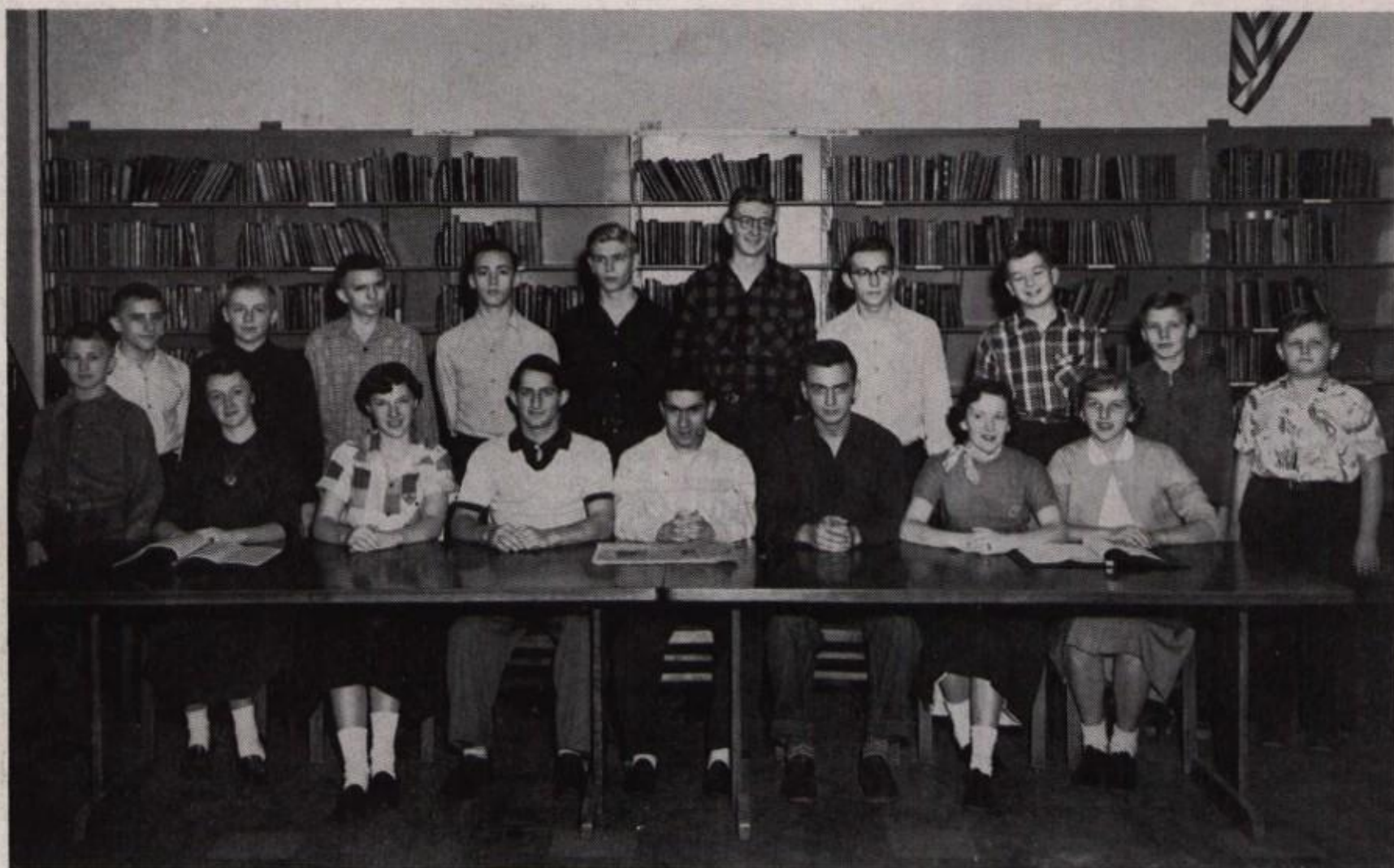
Left to Right—Kneeling: Judith Sniscak, Jacqueline Breslin, Patricia McLaughlin, Nancy Shappell
Standing: Jacqueline Sassaman, Nancy Jones, Anna Zona, Pauline Repinec, Josephine Mihalovic, Doris Spence

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Second Row: J. Sniscak, R. McCall, M. Demyan, G. Gabriel, L. Yalch, A. Lazar, N. Pollock, D. Puskar, I. Totani, A. Skrabak, M. Novotny
Third Row: F. Tiley, M. Perzel, A. Dignazio, M. Perko, A. Probert, F. Karnish, C. Kashner, E. Kohler, J. Maury, J. Silvers, J. Sassaman

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Second Row: A. Dignazio, L. Scheese, P. Patuka, T. Hager, D. Leonard, J. Krizan, H. Heffelfinger, R. Montgomery, J. Novak, E. Heffelfinger

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Second Row: H. Vadyak, H. Pisko, S. Marshall, J. Lorah
Third Row: J. Moscoe, J. Krizan, G. Ambrose, B. Cuning, A. Hajcak, P. Davis, A. Shober, G. Bokrosh, J. Kovacik

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Second Row: H. Pisko, P. Vavra, S. Gorka, S. Marshall, A. Matta, J. Henninger, T. Gallagher, E. Stickler, M. L. Stickler, J. Yuskanish, E. Kuhla, J. Mihalovic, A. Zona, P. Repinec, P. Davis.

Third Row: C. Stewart, M. Cook, F. Petko, W. Tarlton, E. Yesenko, B. Terry, G. Ambrose, J. Surotchak, S. Heffelfinger, J. Hodek, J. Pavlik, B. Fittos.

SENIOR LETTERMEN



Left to Right—Kneeling: George Bokrosh, Richard Vitek, Joseph Filloy, Louis Dignazio, Steve Grezik, Jerry Besbris, Siegfried Kosciolek
Standing: James Markovich, Robert Matta, Albert Skrzypiec, Edward Drozd, John Buchala, Thomas Gallagher, Marvin Evans.

JUNIOR HIGH VARSITY BASKETBALL



Left to Right—Kneeling: Koshalko, Kamenitsky, Buřnovsky, Dignazio, Swider, McNellis
 Standing: Hill, Spence, Wernert, Richards, Kerestes, Skovran, Lusch.

JUNIOR HIGH JAY-VEES BASKETBALL



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 Standing: P. Matrician, M. Kocha, J. Earley, R. Montgomery, K. Richards, D. Raabe, G. Depuy, A. Zonca, L. Sheetz.

PROM



Bernard Wargo, the President of the Junior Class, crowns Kathryn Phillipovich Queen of the 1951 Junior Prom

SENIOR CLASS DANCE



A scene from the Holly Hop which was held on December 28, 1951 by the Senior Class.



First Row—Left to Right: J. Yuskanish, M. Stickler, C. Stewart, E. Yesenko, B. Matta, W. Tarlton, B. Reese, Jo-Ann Vitek, M. Perzel, J. Savitsky, B. Fittos.

Second Row: J. Krizan, A. Matta, J. Henninger, P. Davis, G. Ambrose

Third Row: G. Hydock, J. Yalch, J. Lorah, E. Stickler, L. Jones, A. Shober, S. Marshall, S. Gorka, F. Basiago, J. Besbris, E. Harvan.

1952 CLASS PROGRAM

On December 21, 1951, the senior class presented its annual program. The main feature was a one-act play, "Christmas on Erie Street" by Groydon Goss. In addition to the presentation of the play, several specialty numbers were presented.

PERSONNEL

Cast of Play

M. Perzel
W. Tarlton
J. Vitek
B. Fittos
J. Savitsky
M. L. Stickler
C. Stewart
E. Stickler
G. Hydock
M. Matta
F. Basiago
S. Marshall
S. Gorka
J. Krizan
E. Yesenko
E. Harvan
L. Jones
J. Yuskanish
A. Shober
J. Besbris
B. Reese

Piano Solo

G. Ambrose

Master of Ceremonies

P. Davis

Vocalists

S. Gorka
M. Perzel
J. Henninger
J. Vitek
J. Yuskanish
G. Bokrosh
J. Kovacik
C. Stewart
J. Krizan

Brass Sextet

H. Vadyak
J. Moscoe
J. Krizan
J. Sparks
F. Tiley
G. McLean

Santa Claus

R. Matta

Christmas Morning Scene

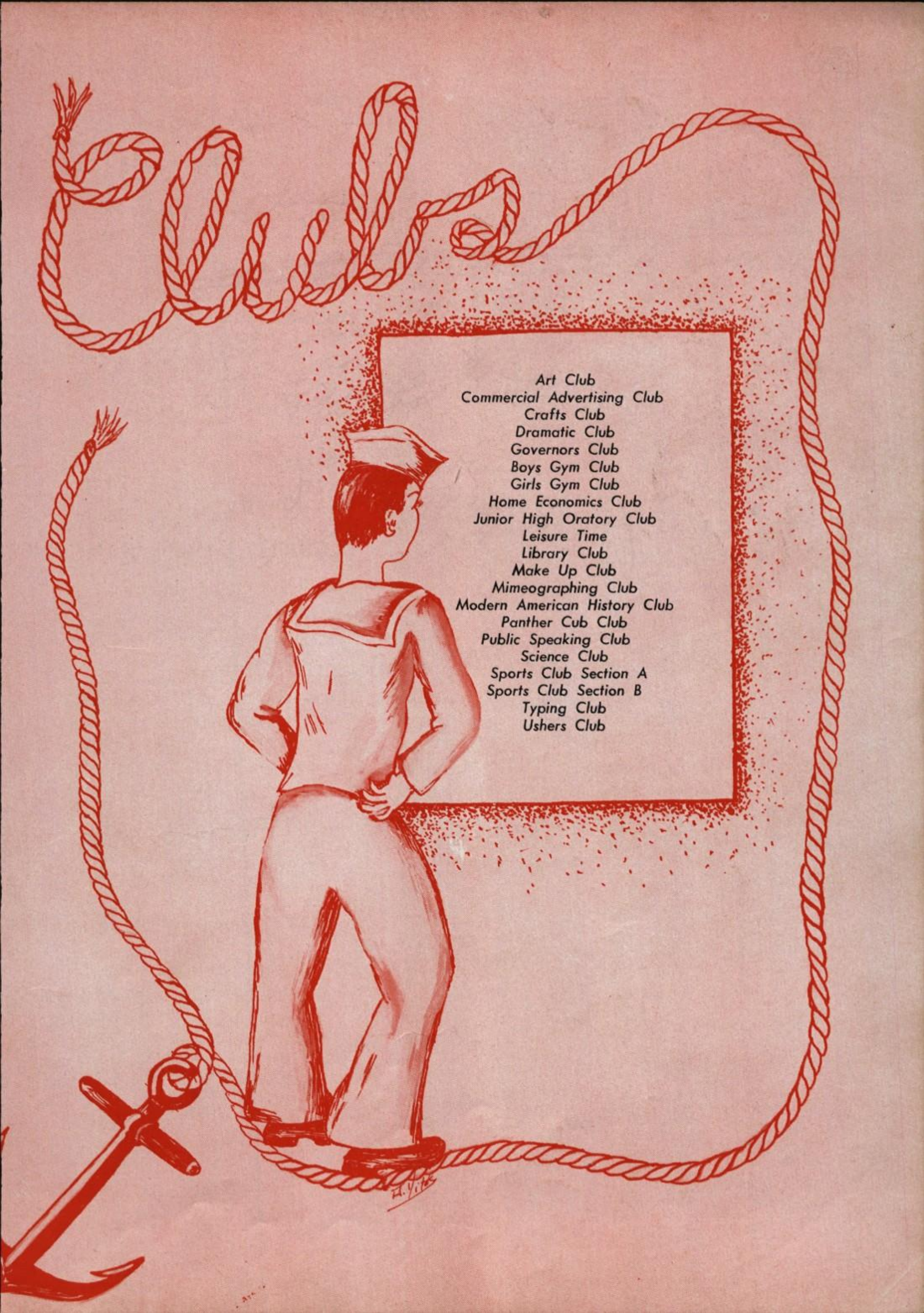
J. Lorah
J. Yalch
G. Ambrose

Scenery By

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G. Krajnak
R. Vitek
J. Drozd
A. Skrzypiec
R. Matta

Lights

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Scene: Lansford Anthracite Bowl

Event: Annual Turkey Day Classic between Lansford Panthers and Coaldale Tigers

Time: Thanksgiving Day 1961

Despite the freezing weather, this gala occasion has brought everyone from far and near to witness this annual thriller. Today is also the grand opening of the newly built stadium, designed by William Tarlton. Construction efforts were speeded up recently to meet the deadline by John Savitsky, John Kovacik and Howard Heffelfinger, Civil Engineers. At this moment, the flashy red and white clad L.H.S. band is making its entrance through the south gate with director, Professor James Lorah, in charge, preceded by Anna Hajcak's high stepping twirlers.

Arriving in a highly polished limousine, chauffeured by Michael Polakovic, are Betty Cuning and Frances Zarsky, famous beauticians, with their assistants Shirley Heffelfinger, Flossie Basiago and Peggy Clark.

Coming in the main gate, we see many of the Class of 1952 Alumni serving their country. Barbara Tarry, a lieutenant in the Waves, Admirals George Krajnak, George Hydock and Joe Pavlik all in blue, Chief of Staff, Edward Drozd and General Frank Petko of the Army, and Edward Harvan, the Marine hero.

George Bokrosh, loaned by CBS for the occasion, is announcing the arrival of the officials for the game. The umpire, we note, is the renowned Richard Vitek. Headlines man, Steve Grezik, and referee, Albert Skrzypiec, have volunteered their service for the day.

The fans are cheering the home team as they rush on the field, with Tommy Gallagher and Siegfried Kosciolk, Co-Coaches, confident of winning their last game of the season. The cheerleaders, coached by Anna Zona, are rendering a rousing 2-4-6-8 for the team.

We see nine women in white prepared to take things in hand, should this battle prove to be bloody. They are Nancy Brimmer, Stella Gorka, Joan Henninger, Shirley Marshall, Annette Matta, Ann Shober, Edwina Stickler, Joan Surotchak and Eleanor Yesenko.

Everyone's attention is focused on the helicopter which is landing on the green of the field as Louis Dignazio, the president of the United States, arrives with his cabinet members. They include Jay Cook and Michael Sniscak, former Lansfordians. The chief executive also brought his personal secretaries Mary Kralicek, Marie Becker and Pauline Repinec along on this annual excursion of his.

Everyone is settled and the game has started. Lansford won the toss and elected to receive. With our microscopic eye glasses which, by the way, were invented by John Krizan, the noted scientist and inventor, we see many notables of national repute, huddled in the bleachers. There is Mary Louise Stickler, off duty from the set of "Gone With the Breeze" which is being produced by Kuchta, Matta and Markovich Inc., MGM's recent successor. That looks like Margie Perzel, the swimmer who set a new record for

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swimming the English Channel, conversing with Betty Ann Malik and Joe Hodek, commercial artists.

Lansford has made a touchdown and Jerry Besbris, the owner of a chain of haberdashery stores, is recalling his younger days in Lansford High, as he cheers with his business partners, Joe Filloy and Joe Moscoe. We got the extra point and the score is now Lansford 7, Coaldale 0! Charles Stewart, the town's leading mortician, is hovering near the Coaldale lads, presumably expecting a few new prospects.

It has just been announced that Doctor Marvin Evans, Jr., is wanted at the main gate, immediately. Louise Jones, Theresa Gallagher, and Geraldine Gallanda, the popular dance trio, just arrived and are talking business with Louis Ferretti, proprietor of the Flamingo Club of New York. Jo-Ann Vitek, the Doris Day of today, spotted the group and is descending the steps to meet her former classmates.

It's half-time and the crowd is rushing to the refreshment stand for Elda Mae Morgan's famous hot toddy. There is another announcement; if the holder of ticket number 1952 will come to the press box, he will be the recipient of a set of chains, donated by Drozd, Fittos and Wargo, Inc. the owners of garages across the nation.

As an added feature between the halves, the announcer is going to pass through the crowd, with a roving microphone making spot interviews. He has approached a young lady who is a leading figure with the United States Atomic Commission and we find, to our surprise, that it is none other than Miss Peggy Davis. He is now interviewing Miss Doris Spence, the local Physical Education instructor, who is giving her views on the game. The microphone has spotted Harry Vadyak and John Yalch, trumpeteers for Tommy Dorsey who have offered to render a duet. The last person to be interviewed is Mary Matta, the chairlady of the Turnpike Commission.

The Lansford boys started the second half with renewed vigor. In contrast to the cold weather, on our right is a billboard displaying the latest fashions for beach apparel, modeled by Georgine Ambrose, Josie Mihalovic and Mary Pasho, Conover models.

Ellen Kulha, Janice Yuskanish and Margie Hruska, Managers of 5 & 10 cent stores throughout Pennsylvania are here to witness the game. Helen Pisko and Rose Vavra, owners of a travel agency are also on hand today.

It seems the score will end with Lansford ahead 7-0. But wait! Lansford caught a fumble and the star halfback is on his way for a touchdown. Yes, that was a 52 yard dash to make the score 13-0. And the game ends, with Lansford winning their 11th straight Turkey Clash since 1951.

Mr. John Buchala, Principal of the Lansford High School has just announced that there will be no school on Monday!

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Prettiest Hair.....	George Bokrosh.....	Jo-Ann Vitek
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Blondest.....	James Markovich.....	Betty Cuning
Most Dependable.....	Harry Vadyak.....	Mary Kralicek
Shortest.....	Louis Ferretti.....	Florence Basiago
Biggest Eaters.....	John Kovacik.....	Helen Pisko
Best Typists.....	David Kuchta.....	Marie Becker
Best Physics Students.....	John Krizan.....	Peggy Davis
Most Argumentative.....	Howard Heffelfinger.....	Ellen Kulha
Longest Eyelashes.....	Francis Petko.....	Barbara Terry
Biggest Daydreamers.....	Albert Skrzypiec.....	Rose Vavra
Biggest Gum-Chewers.....	George Hydock.....	Annie Hajcak
Best Pals (girls).....	Shirley Heffelfinger.....	Nancy Brimmer
Best Pals (boys).....	Jay Cook.....	Marvin Evans
Best Homework Forgetters.....	Drozd Brothers.....	Helen Pisko
Most Daring.....	John Savitsky.....	Eleanor Yesenko
Tardiest.....	Michael Polakovic.....	Margie Hruska
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LOG OF THE CLASS OF 1952

FIRST ENTRY . . . September 1948 thru September 1949 . . . The Freshman Class left port one bright September morn and started on its voyage through four years of High School. We were all very excited and even a little scared of what the future had in store for us, but that was to be expected. To most of us, those first few weeks proved very exasperating. Algebra, getting lost in the halls, and the disapproving stare of upperclassmen added to our dilemma. All we lacked were the traditional Frosh "beanies". Thank goodness no one suggested them! What we needed was someone to organize our confused ranks and "Captain" Louis Dignazio was the man for the job. At last, we felt like human beings again. Several of our young men took part in sports and a number of our fair maidens caught the eyes of upperclassmen and found themselves at the Junior Prom. During the year we put our heads together and came up with a topnotch Variety Show. Who could forget Klotz's Soda Fountain, which was complete with soda jerks, and the washboard orchestra. Our first year ended, we were looking forward to a vacation at Camp Greenwood and our Sophomore year.

SECOND ENTRY . . . September 1949 thru June 1950 . . . Having one year of sound experiences behind us, we were prepared to face this term with a little common sense and more confidence. Louis Dignazio was chosen to command our crew again. The idea of buying class hats was born, but for some reason it never took hold. Several of our capable musicians made us feel very proud as they took part in District Chorus, Band, and Orchestra. Not many boys tried gridiron tactics, but we were well represented on the Junior cage team and the cinderpath. In February our class was called upon to present an Assembly program. We were not prejudiced, but we thought the play "Ghost Farm" was among the best produced in Lansford High School. A murder mystery was just the thing to keep everyone glued to his seat and "Ghost Farm" did just that. All too quickly the year slipped away. The thought of next year loomed big in our minds and we wondered whether we were really mature and wise enough to make the grade. Time would tell the tale.

THIRD ENTRY . . . September 1950 thru June 1951 . . . After a pleasant summer we went back to school as upperclassmen. Looking over our ranks, we noticed that the boys had added a few inches to their height, and the girls had become quite clothes conscious. By popular vote, Bernard Wargo was elected to the post of President. Although our class rings didn't arrive until Christmas, we considered them well-worth waiting for. Athletics seemed to be the keyword of the male portion. Evans, Dignazio, and Kosciolek played first-string, varsity football and Evans and Eddie Drozd, varsity basketball. Others were available for action when needed. John Krizan brought honor to our school and class by being selected for State Band. Our annual program was given prior to the Thanksgiving Vacation. The Ghost of William Shakespear, played by William Tarlton, appeared to save "Romeo and Juliet" from ruin in the hands of some high school students. A girls' trio and a boys' sextet were formed and became recognized vocalists. Finally, in May, came the event all Juniors had been anxiously waiting for, the Junior Prom. We felt that the decorations created by out artists made our Prom one of the most beautiful held in a long time. A senior, Kathryn Phillipovich, was chosen to reign as Queen. It seemed hardly possible, but our last and most important year was just around the corner. Imagine! To return in the fall as "Mighty Seniors!"

FOURTH ENTRY . . . September 1951 thru June 1952 . . . Our goal was finally reached as we entered the last log of our journey. At first, it was hard to become adjusted to all the privileges and responsibilities of a senior, but we soon took them in our stride. Realizing the need for an able leader, we wisely picked Louis Dignazio, for President. In order to carry on our various activities, especially the yearbook, our finances had to be increased. The football concession stand, dances, the sale of magazine subscriptions, yearbook ads, and fruitcakes, proved to be our biggest money-makers. All the sports were dominated by the senior players, which was natural. One of the outstanding football achievements was the Thanksgiving Day victory over Coaldale. For the first time, the Senior Band members were presented with sweaters. As the production of the Christmas program belonged to the senior class, we called upon our best actors to make it a success. The main feature was a one-act play, "Christmas on Erie Street." In addition, several specialties, included the appearance of Santa Claus, added to the spirit of the show. Before we had time to think, the trip was almost over, and we were busy getting ready for Class Night, and Graduation Day. The Big Day arrived, and we pulled into port, our voyage ended.

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NANCY BRIMMER.....	Say good-by to Shirley.
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PEGGY CLARK.....	Become owner of Wenzel's Bakery.
JAY COOK.....	Substitute for Bill Stern.
BETTY CUNNING.....	Listen to her last album of Mario Lanza.
PEGGY DAVIS.....	Edit the New York Times.
LOUIS DIGNAZIO.....	Be elected President of the United States.
EDWARD DROZD.....	Play for the Philadelphia Warriors.
JOHN DROZD.....	Own and operate his own garage.
MARVIN EVANS.....	Play quarterback for the Cleveland Browns.
LOUIS FERRETTI.....	Forget about his height.
JOSEPH FILLOY.....	Give the girls a break.
BERNARD FITTOS.....	Invent a super walkie-talkie.
THERESA GALLAGHER.....	Put on fifty pounds.
TOMMY GALLAGHER.....	Perform acrobatics for the Ringling Brothers' Circus.
GERRY GALLANDA.....	Be given medal for "Best Driver of the Year."
STELLA GORKA.....	Direct a District Chorus.
STEVE GREZIK.....	Take over as Head Garbage Collector.
ANNA HAJCAK.....	Buy a carton of chewing gum.
EDWARD HARVAN.....	Become Superintendent of Public Instructions.
HOWARD HEFFELFINGER.....	Prove his theories.
SHIRLEY HEFFELFINGER.....	Spend the day in the Congressional Library.
JOAN HENNINGER.....	Sing for the Metropolitan Opera Company.
JOSEPH HODEK.....	Take a trip around the world and back.
MARGARET HRUSKA.....	Spend it with "You know who."
GEORGE HYDOCK.....	Invent a new car.
LOUISE JONES.....	Dance with Fred Astaire.
ZIGGY KOSCIOLEK.....	Coach the "Fighting Irish" of Notre Dame.
JOHN KOVACIK.....	Ski in the Olympics.
GEORGE KRAJNAK.....	Learn to use a slide rule.
MARY KRALICEK.....	Forget her homework.
JOHN KRIZAN.....	Perfect his French accent.
DAVID KUCHTA.....	Go "Big Game Hunting" in Africa.

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ELLEN KUHLA.....	Do her homework for a change.
JAMES LORAH.....	Play the drums in Tommy Dorsey's Orchestra.
BETTY ANN MALIK.....	Direct the New York Municipal Art Musuem.
JAMES MARKOVICH.....	Design scenery for RKO Studios.
SHIRLEY MARSHALL.....	See her last television program.
ANNETTE MATTA.....	Become the head nurse at Allentown Hospital.
MARY MATTA.....	Meet Einstein.
BOB MATTA	Fly first rocket to the moon.
JOSIE MIHALOVIC.....	Flunk her last year.
ELDA MAE MORGANS.....	Give all her waitress uniforms to her sister.
JOSEPH MOSCOE.....	Play the tuba in Paul Lavalles "Band of America."
MARY PASHO.....	Say good-bye to her out-of-town boy friends.
JOSEPH PAVLIK.....	Become Baseball's High Commissioner.
MARGIE PERZEL.....	Swim the Atlantic Ocean.
FRANCIS PETKO.....	Give Hopalong Cassidy a rest.
HELEN PISKO.....	Clean the candy wrappers out of her desk.
MICHAEL POLAKOVIC.....	Slay the horses at Saratoga.
PAULINE REPINEC.....	Join the Waves.
JOHN SAVITSKY.....	Design cars for General Motors.
ANN SHOBER.....	Dye her hair.
ALBERT SKRZYPIEC.....	Buy his own grocery store.
MICHAEL SNISCAK.....	Manage the Boston Red Sox.
DORIS SPENCE.....	Drink her last quart of Freeman's milk.
CHARLES STEWART.....	Embalm himself.
EDWINA STICKLER.....	Build a shoe factory.
MARY LOU STICKLER.....	Take Joan Evan's place on the screen.
JOAN SUROTCHAK.....	Play her last polka on the clarinet.
WILLIAM TARLTON.....	Buy a chain of haberdashery stores.
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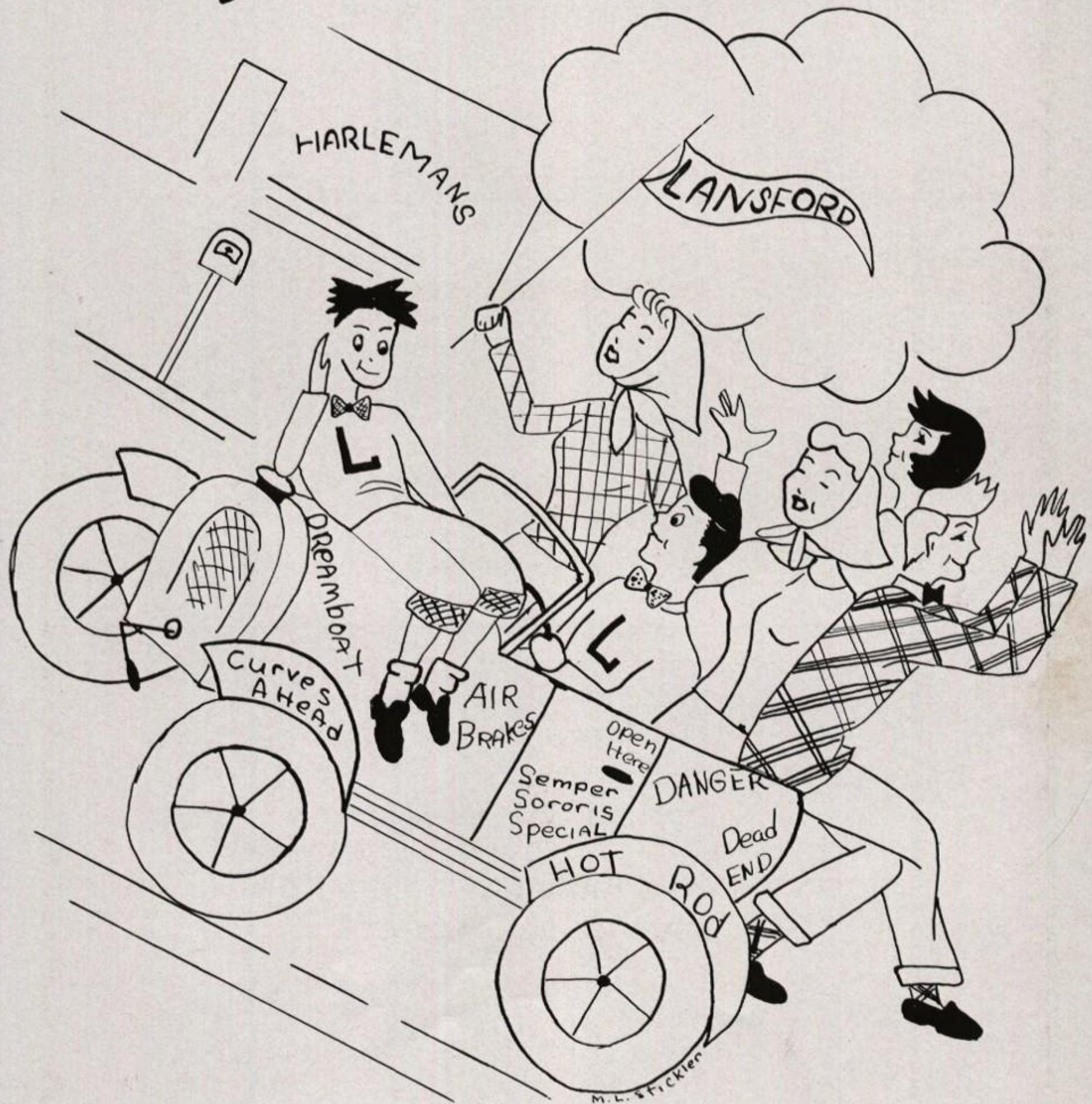
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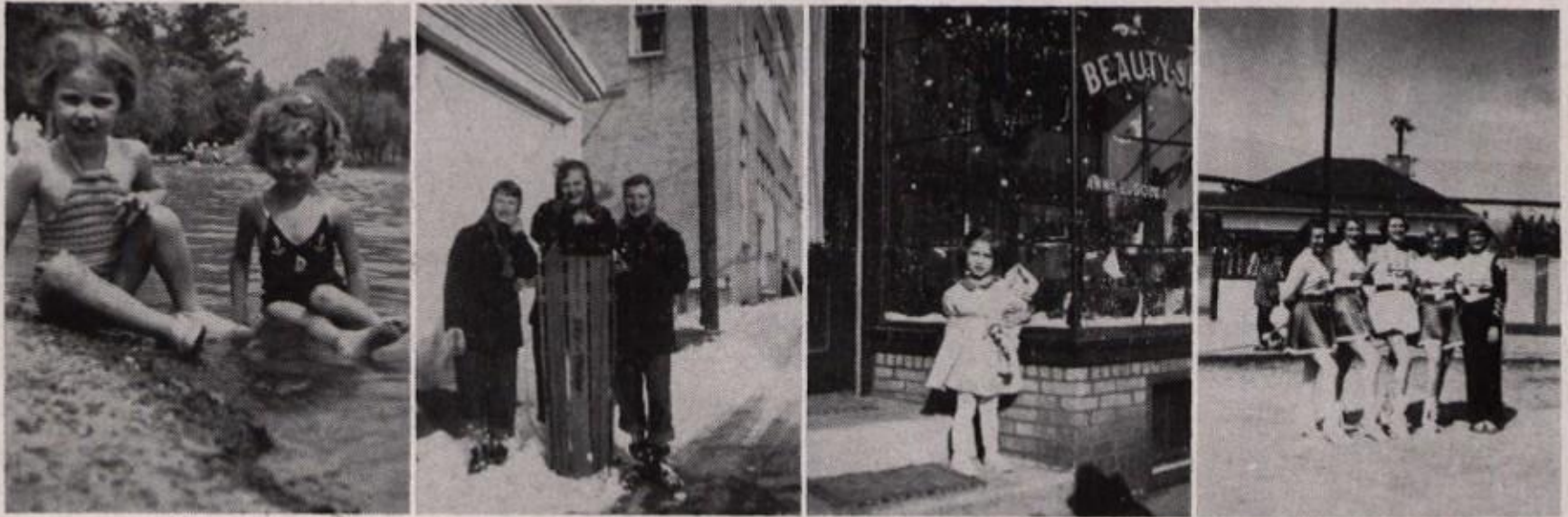


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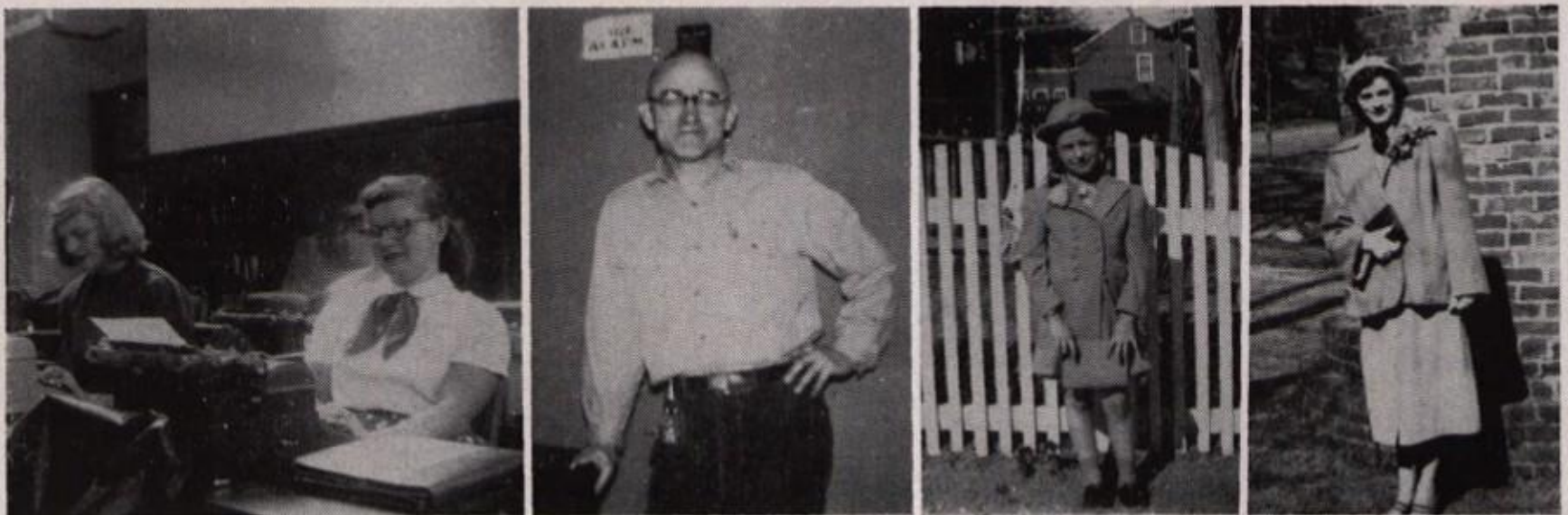


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NAME	FAVORITE SAYING	HOBBY
AMBROSE, GEORGINE . . .	"Hi, Honey!"	Flirting
BASIAGO, FLORENCE . . .	"You're nice!"	Collecting soap
BECKER, MARIE	"Let's go to Tuscarora."	Dancing
BESBRIS, JERRY	"Gotcha homework?"	Speeding
BOKROSH, GEORGE	"How do ya do this one?"	Sports
BRIMMER, NANCY	"Aw, g'wan!"	Knitting
BUCHALA, JOHN	"Chippy"	Sports
CLARK, MARGARET	"Come to Wenzels."	Collecting jewelry
COOK, JAY	"That's for sure."	Sports
CUNNING, BETTY	"And you?"	P. M. C.
DAVIS, PEGGY	"Really think so?"	Doodling
DIGNAZIO, LOUIS	"Cream 'em!"	Sports
DROZD, EDWARD	"Margie"	Sports
DROZD, JOHN	"Get out!"	Mechanics
EVANS, MARVIN	"Aw, he's crazy!"	Sports
FERRETTI, LOUIS	"You all right?"	Sports
FILLOY, JOSEPH	"You did all right, laddie."	Sports
FITTOS, BERNARD	"Hey! Yeb!"	Driving cars
GALLAGHER, THERESA . . .	"Oh, don't get funny!"	Clowning
GALLAGHER, THOMAS . . .	"Need some gas?"	Sports
GALLANDA, GERALDINE . .	"Pert cute!"	Reading
GORKA, STELLA	"You're a dopus!"	Band
GREZIK, STEPHEN	"Oh, yeah!"	Sports
HAJCAK, ANNA	"Act your age!"	Driving and flirting
HARVAN, EDWARD	"I made it."	Collecting odds and ends
HEFFELFINGER, HOWARD . .	"Prove it."	Autos and guns
HEFFELFINGER, SHIRLEY . .	"I'm not in the mood."	Reading
HENNINGER, JOAN	"Go lay an egg!"	Bengy
HODEK, JOSEPH	"What do you want?"	Drawing
HRUSKA, MARGIE	"Well, I'll be!"	Dancing
HYDOCK, GEORGE	"Why?"	Cars
JONES, LOUISE	"How cute you are!"	Dancing
KOSCIOLEK, SIEGFRIED . .	"Hit 'em!"	Sports
KOVACIK, JOHN	"Can you imagine?"	Skiing and fishing
KRAJNAK, GEORGE	"Ya sure?"	Collecting pencils
KRALICEK, MARY	"See how ya are!"	Flirting
KRIZAN, JOHN	" $A^2 + B^2 = C^2$ "	Fishing and skiing
KUCHTA, DAVID	"It's a dog's age."	Hunting and fishing

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NAME	FAVORITE SAYING	HOBBY
KULHA, ELLEN	"For Pete's sake!"	Dancing
LORAH, JAMES	"Why for?"	Playing the drums and Edwina
MALIK, ELIZABETH	"Disgusting!"	Art
MARKOVICH, JAMES	"No! No!"	Mechanics
MARSHALL, SHIRLEY	"Oh, sugar!"	Band
MATTA, ANNETTE	"Hi, Chick!"	A certain someone
MATTA, MARY	"Dry up!"	Collecting post cards
MATTA, ROBERT	"What happened?"	Photography
MIHALOVIC, JOSEPHINE	"What's it to you?"	Dancing and swimming
MORGANS, ELDA MAE	"What's your order?"	Typing
MOSCOE, JOSEPH	"Aw, forget it."	Sports
PASHO, MARY	"Got rocks in your head?"	Tennis and bowling
PAVLIK, JOSEPH	"Where you going?"	Collecting sports pictures
PERZEL, MARGIE	"Ya shkut!"	Music and swimming
PETKO, FRANCIS	"That's a Jim Dandy."	Playing pinochle
PISKO, HELEN	"Wait'll you hear this."	Dancing and swimming
POLAKOVIC, MICHAEL	"Guess!"	Another senior
REPINEC, PAULINE	"Sugar!"	Swimming
SAVITSKY, JOHN	"Very fine, Laddie."	Mechanics
SHOBER, ANN	"Oh, you're kidding!"	Dancing and day-dreaming
SKRZYPIEC, ALBERT	"Give me five minutes more."	A junior
SNISCAK, MICHAEL	"How about that!"	Cheering for the Bosox
SPENCE, DORIS	"Buy Freeman's!"	Freeman's Dairy
STEWART, CHARLES	"Scratch it!"	Collecting antiques
STICKLER, EDWINA	"That's for sure!"	"P-Nuts"
STICKLER, MARY LOU	"Just a minute."	Oil painting
SUROTCHAK, JOAN	"Wise up!"	Playing polkas on her clarinet
TARLTON, WILLIAM	"Oh, I feel so!"	Art and collecting ties
TERRY, BARBARA	"Bless you!"	Ice-skating
VADYAK, HARRY	"Honest, I love you!"	Printing and photography
VAVRA, ROSE	"You said it!"	Dancing
VITEK, JO-ANN	"Holy cow!"	Dancing and singing
VITEK, RICHARD	"Never ya mind!"	Collecting sports pictures
WARGO, BERNARD	"Diggit!"	Mechanics
YALCH, JACK	"My Polkas Dots!"	"Polka Dots"
YESENKO, ELEANOR	"Gee! Whiz!"	Collecting glass animals
YUSKANISH, JANICE	"Go way!"	Swimming
ZARSKY, FRANCES	"Oh, How gay!"	Ice-skating
ZONNA, ANNA	"Watch it!"	Art

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APRIL 28 — Penn Relay Carnival, Franklin Field, Philadelphia. Roy Heffelfinger, Ivan Ladizinsky, Al Skryzpiec, and Bob Holmes made up the L.H.S. mile relay team. Besides experiencing the race itself, they saw England's great Roger Bannister outrun America's two best milers, Don Gehrman and Fred Wilt.

MAY 5 — Coaldale Invitation Track and Field Meet. The Red and White participated in this meet for the second consecutive year. A long heave by Steve Butcher secured second place in the shot put event, while in the mile relay our relay team ran fourth.

MAY 16 — Dual meet with Summit Hill at Summit Hill. The Panther thinclads dropped a 61-34 decision to the Hiller trackmen. Among Lansford's first place winners were Bob Holmes, 440 yard dash with a time of 56.4 seconds; Al Skryzpiec, mile run in the time of 5 min. 7 sec.; Steve Butcher, shot put with a distance of 46 ft. 6½ in. and broad jump with a distance of 20 ft. 2 in.

MAY 19 — District 11 Meet at Allentown. The Lansford team gathered 31 points which earned them fourth place in Class B Competition. Following were the events and L.H.S.'s places: 100 yard dash, Louis Dignazio, fourth; 440 yard dash, Bob Holmes, third; mile run, Al Skryzpiec, third; 200 yard low hurdles, Ivan Ladizinsky, first in the time of 26.2 seconds; half-mile and mile relays, Lansford, second; broad jump, Steve Butcher second; shot put, Steve Butcher, first with a throw of 46 ft. 4¼ in.

MAY 26 — State Finals at Penn State. As first place winners in the District 11 Meet, Steve Butcher and Ivan Ladizinsky were entitled to compete in the State Finals, but failed to place.

JUNE 4 — Carbon County Meet at Summit Hill. Engaging in the final meet of the 1951 season, Lansford finished third with a total of 27 points. Roy Heffelfinger came in second in the 100 yard dash and first in 220 yard dash with a time of 25.2 seconds. The 440 yard run was taken by Bob Holmes in the time of 55.4 seconds. The only double winner of the afternoon for the Panthers was Steve Butcher, who won the shot put event with a heave of 46 ft. 7½ in. and the discus with a distance of 121 ft. 9 in. The Red and White relay team, composed of Roy Heffelfinger, Ivan Ladizinsky, George Bokrosh, and Bob Holmes, secured third place in the mile relay.

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

Steve Butcher.....	20	points
Roy Heffelfinger.....	9	points
Bob Holmes.....	7	points
Ivan Ladizinsky.....	5	points
Al Skryzpiec.....	5	points
John Gallagher.....	1	point
Danny Leonard.....	1	point
Ted Reese.....	1	point

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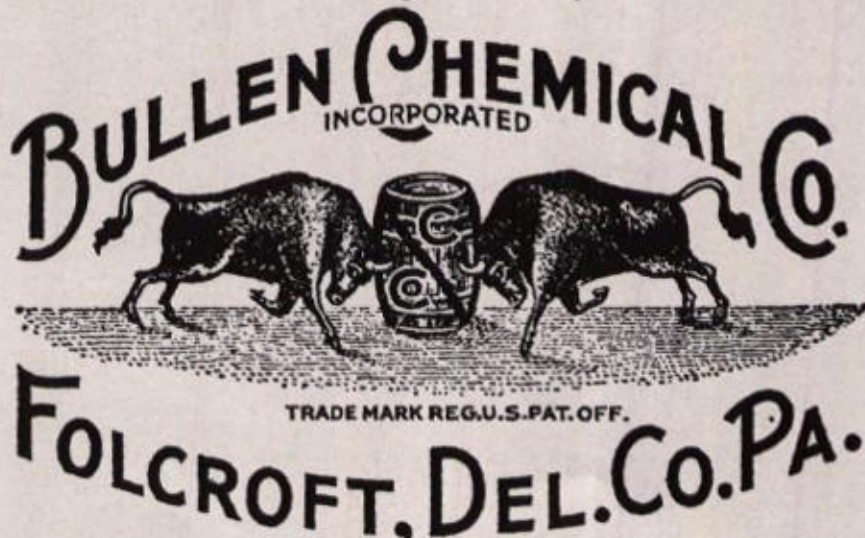
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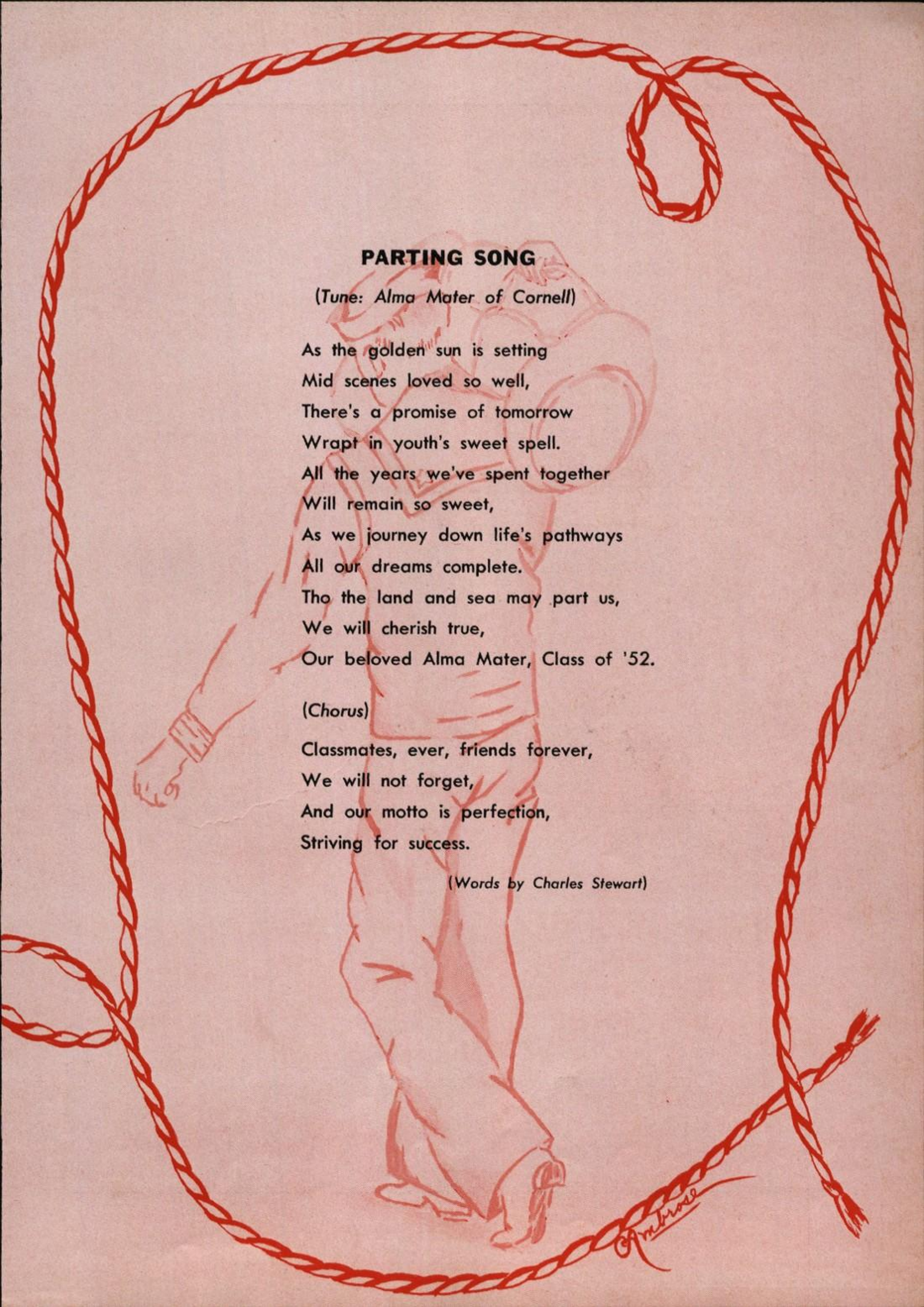
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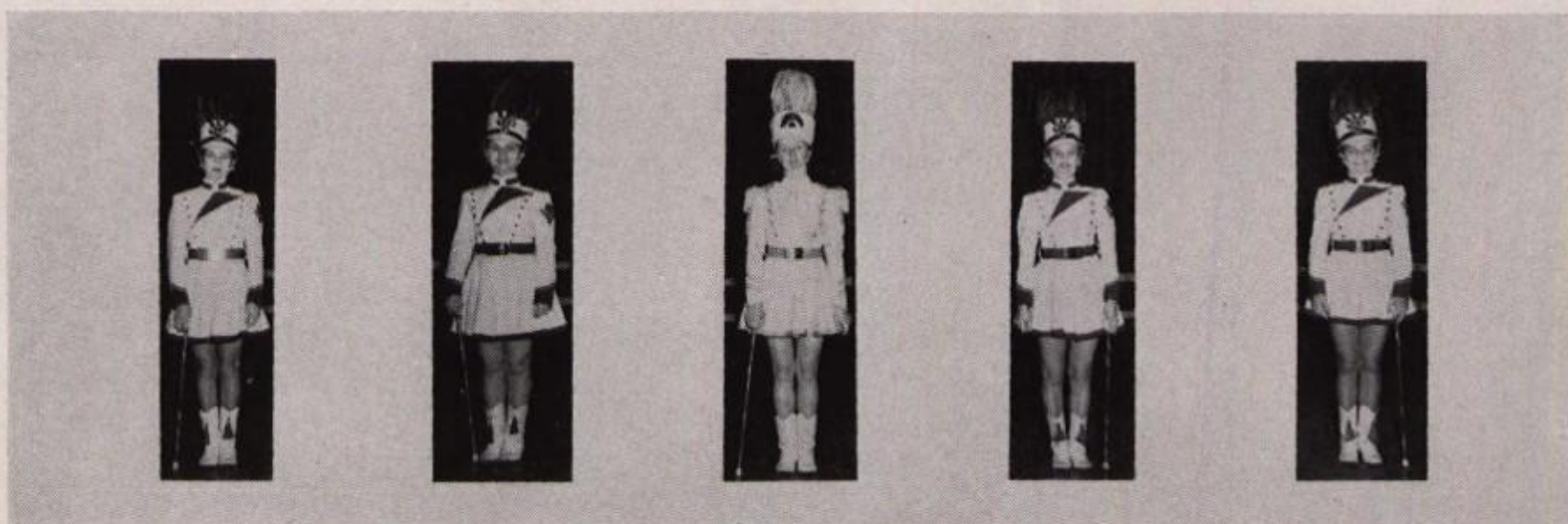
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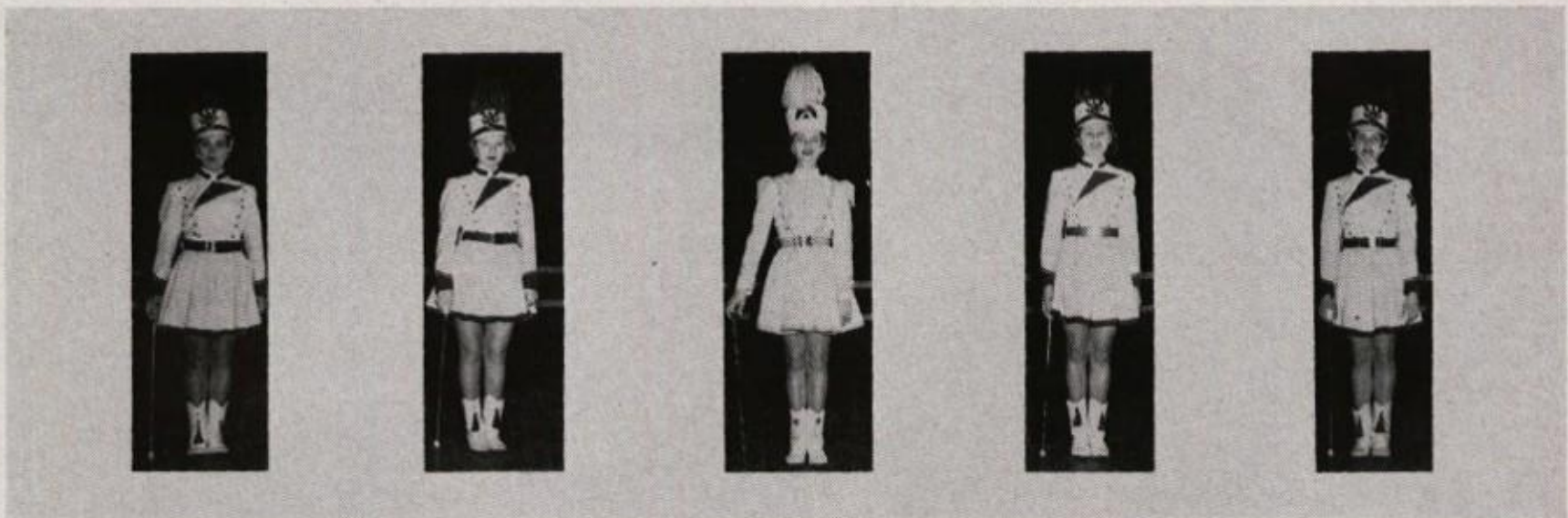
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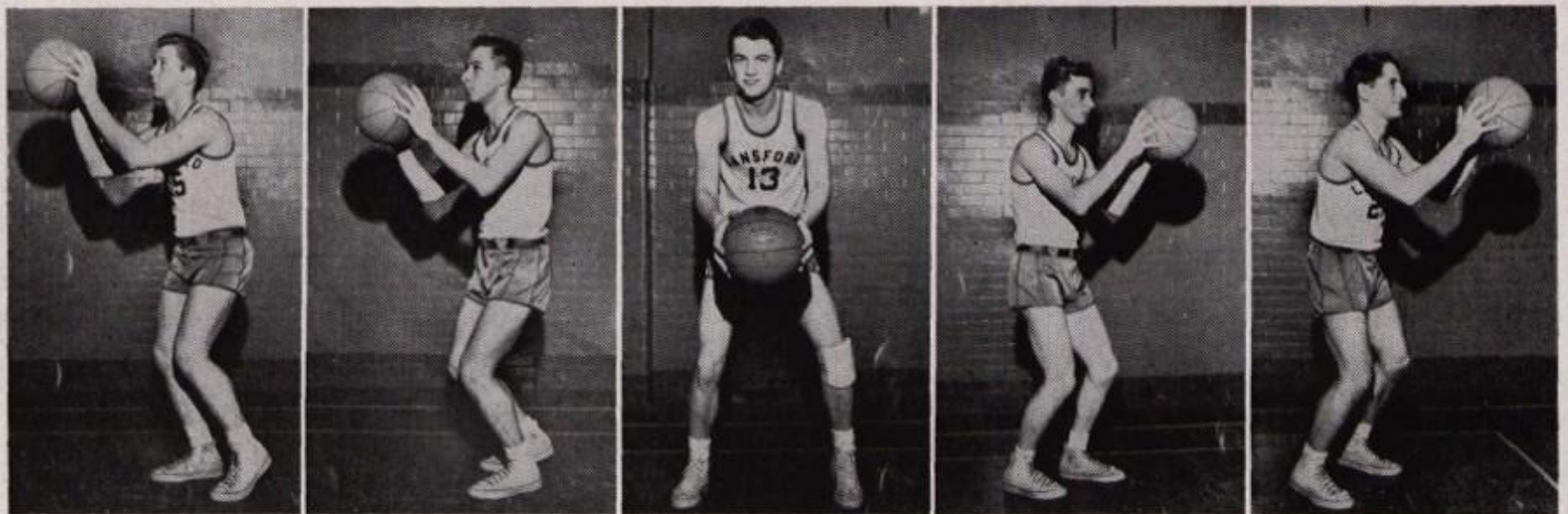
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I wish to congratulate the Class of 1952 of the Lansford High School on the successful completion of its work and wish for each one of them success in the future.



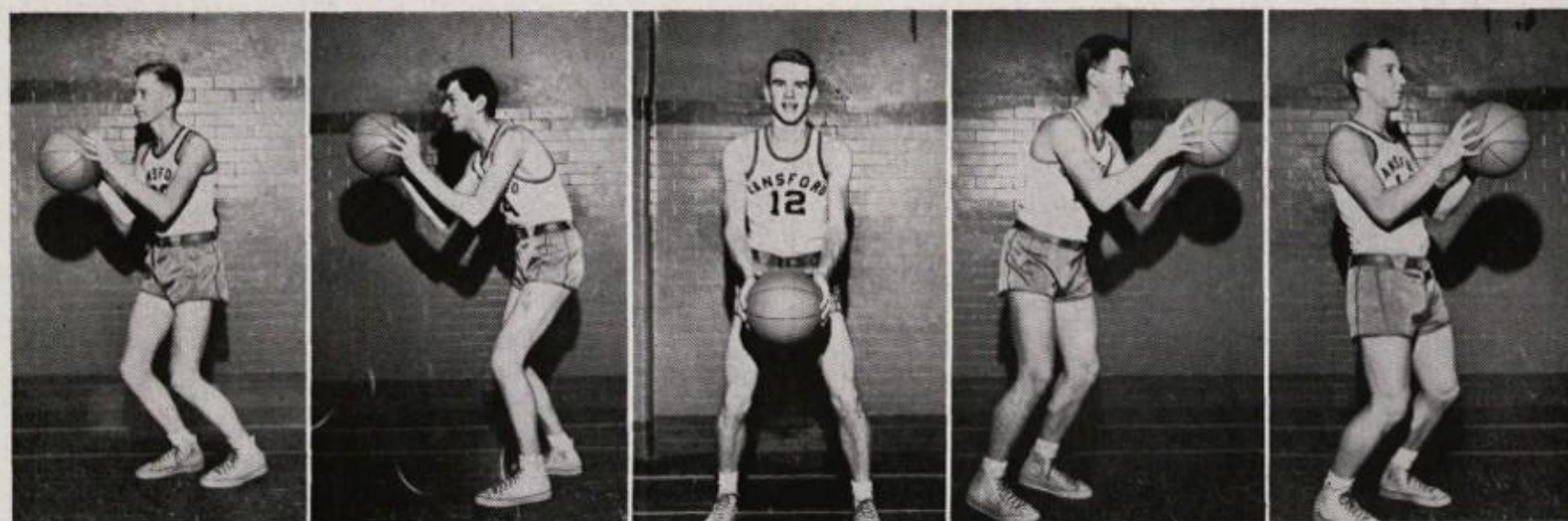
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CLASS OF 1952

WE, the Class of Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-two, of the Lansford High School, Borough of Lansford, County of Carbon, and State of Pennsylvania, feeling the uncertainty of life approaching and believing this to be the proper time for such consideration, do set forth this to be our Last Will and Testament, to be carried out as it is hereby provided, to those individuals or groups specifically named.

I. We humbly rely on our Class Advisors to see that we are interred with great ceremonial splendor in consideration of our scholastic, musical, and athletic contributions, having thereby added to the prominence of Lansford High School.

II. To the Class of 1953, we hereby bequeath our superior ability for producing the best Class Plays ever to have been performed in Lansford High School.

III. To the future football teams, we bequeath the spirit that has made it possible for us to gain a victory over our pigskin rivals, Coaldale High School.

IV. To our subordinate classmates who have helped to support our financial campaigns, we reward our superior privileges; and as individuals we bequeath the following:

1. Margie Perzel wills her special interest in football players to Fran Brinkos and Em Kolaya.
2. Skipper Malik wills her stubbornness to Mae Perzel.
3. Joan Vitek wills her love for the Junior boys to Anne Lazar.
4. Howard Heffelfinger wills his paper route to anyone who wants it.
5. David Kuchta wills his hunting and fishing craze to Paul Valick.
6. Anne Shober leaves her position as Captain of the twirlers to Dana Dee Tiley.
7. Joan Henninger wills her expert diving form to Jacque Breslin.
8. Jay Cook wills his driving ability to Butchie Repko.
9. Tessie Gallagher wills her ability to master Physics to Archimedes.
10. Snoozie Pasho wills her black hair to Pinky Koscia.
11. Jimmy Lorah wills his drums to Billy Cannon.
12. John Kovacik wills his skiing craze to Bryson Sundberg.
13. Joan Surotchak leaves the first chair in the clarinet section of the band to Ward Olson.
14. Edwina Stickler and Jimmy Lorah will their steadiness to Marty Demyan and Buddy Ogozalek.
15. Jose Mihalovic wills her smile to Mr. Klotz.
16. Mary Kralicek wills the stencils to Angie Koshuta and Ann Figura.
17. Helen Pisko wills her love for jazz to anyone who can stand the noise.
18. Florence Basiago wills her cowboy singing to Lillian Kitlan.
19. Barbara Terry wills her love for the Air Force to anyone who has interest.
20. Michael Sniscak wills his baseball talent to any Ted Williams fan.
21. Michael Polakovic wills his broom at concession to Sam Pollack.
22. Frances Zarsky wills her love for the surrounding towns to anyone who has interest.
23. John Savitsky wills his engineering ability to John Soltis.
24. George Hydock wills his mechanic ability to Francis Radocha.
25. Joseph Moscoe wills the tuba to anyone that will help out Mr. Stineman.
26. Louise Jones wills her dancing shoes to Pinky Koscica.
27. Joseph Hodek wills his ability to get teachers mad to Albert Koscica.
28. Joseph Filloy wills his Jersey No. 73 to Mr. Richards.
29. Mary Matta wills her Molecule Theory to anyone who is scientific.
30. John Drozd wills his paper route to Bartek.
31. Louis Ferretti wills his physical shortness to Frank Bohenick.
32. Steve Grezik wills his guard position to Don Culley.
33. Peggy Clark wills her part time job in Wenzel's Bakery to anybody who is ambitious.
34. Ann Zona wills her cheering ability to Muggs McLaughlin.
35. Ann Hajcak wills her twirlers uniform and boots to Anna Skraback.

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36. Richard Vitek wills his wingback position to big Tony Dignazio.
37. Marie Becker wills her love for Tuscarora and Tamaqua to her sister, Anne.
38. Jerry Besbris wills his typing ability to Randy Gormley.
39. Joseph Pavlick wills his love for the Yanks to Sonny Zuzu.
40. Albert Skrzpiec wills his sleeping in class to Happy Hrubovcak.
41. Francis Petko wills his love for the Pirates to Eddie Chuckran.
42. Eddie Harvan wills his ability to get along with Miss Wynn to anyone who can.
43. Bob Matta wills his successful position in the Palace to Johnny Zarsky.
44. Doris Spence wills her ability to go steady to Nancy Lou Shappell.
45. Jackie Yalch wills his ability to be head-chef in cooking class to Buddy Ogozalek.
46. George Krajnak wills his friendship with Mr. Fudge to Joe Demyan.
47. Chow Drozd wills his ability to hop freights to Happy Hrubovchak.
48. Bernie Fittos wills all his girl friends to Tunnors Koin.
49. Tom Gallagher wills his position in football to Jackie Repko.
50. John Buchala wills his cue stick in Gazo's pool-room to anyone who wants it.
51. Margie Hruska wills her beliefs in young romances to her nephew Donald Romanek.
52. Stella Gorka and Shirley Marshall will their inseparability to Frances Brinkos and Ann Figura.
53. The Commercial Class bequeaths to Mr. Wernert a Senior Bookkeeping Class.
54. The Senior Class leaves to the Juniors a portable concession stand to be used at all home football games.
55. The Senior Class wills a printing press to Mr. Vaiana to publish his book of jokes which he seems to have acquired through either students' examination papers or their class recitations.
56. The Senior Class bequeaths a 100% punctual home-room group to Mr. Dolan.
57. The Senior Class leaves Miss Wynn a specially designed room for her home-room's comfort.

In Conclusion, we select our Class Advisers to be the Executors of this, our Last Will and Testament.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, we, the Class of Nineteen Hundred fifty-two have to this, our Last Will and Testament, subscribed our names and affixed our seals, this 5th day of June, 1952.

THE CLASS OF 1952, L. H. S. (Seal)

IN WITNESS THEREOF, we, the Class Officers have set our hands and seals this 5th day of June, 1952.

Louis Dignazio (Seal)

Margaret Perzel (Seal)

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Our deeds recorded here are found.

Our trip was arduous, 'tis true,
Yet we had fun, as school "mates" do.
So take a look, from year to year,
At precious thoughts which we hold dear.

—*The Panther Staff*



M.M.
Remember
the A's
Remember
the B's
But remember
today we both
got D's "Betty"

There's ice "T"
There's hot "T"
But the best "T"
Is loyal "T"

"Ole"
"57"
"happ"

Don't lie #
Don't B b
Just B b
Carole

Margaret,
your future lies
before you, like a drift
of new fallen snow. Be
careful how you tread it.
Because every step will show.

Love
Beverly
"57"

Margie,

Margie is a pep,
she has a lot o' pep,
I like to hear ^{her} scream
But not when she throug
cream. Beth Becker

Can't think, too dumb
Inspiration won't come.
No ink, no pen
Best Wishes Amen.

Nancy
A. G. G.

Roses are red
Violets are blue
Sugar is sweet
And that means
"Joanne"

Good Luck
and Best Wishes
"Regally"

Yours till
Hungry fries Turkey
in Greece.
"Bene"
"57"

Lots of luck in
your future year.
Mary Ann
Mackay

Yours 'til America
drinks Canada Dry.
"Don"
"57"

Margaret,

May you sail
the seas of ambition
and anchor in the
harbor of success
and I want to see
if you'll remember me
"Navy"
X X X X

My argeret,
Boy friends are plenty
But you'll pay the penalty
When there all you
"Teeny"
A

Theres a
steamship, battleship
but theres no ship
like friendship
anthony

There are hard ships,
there are brown ships
but there's no ships
like friendships
Pete

Robert Shinton

a friend is a friend

where ever he may go
11

11 5 7 11

re hope

Hooker by
Crook & me
the last
one to write
in your book,
Love
Mary

For good luck
Barney

Boat of Luck
ments

Justine Scarlos

Lillie C. Mulhearn - Good Luck

all your friends
are with you

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Lillie

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Margaret Mary Withers



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